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RUNYON WOULD ACCEPT

If Called Upon to Succeed Senator McPherson.

THE AMBASSADOR INTERVIEWED.

While Having No Knowledge of a Movement in His Interest, Our Representative in Germany Would Not Decline an Election to the Senate.

BERLIN, Oct. 9.—The representative here of the Associated Press had an interview with Hon. Theodore Runyon, the ambassador to Germany, in relation to the report that he would probably be selected as the successor of Senator John R. McPherson, of New Jersey. Mr. Runyon said:

"I absolutely know nothing personally about any movement having as its object my election as the successor of Mr. McPherson. Since arriving in Berlin I have read about Mr. McPherson's ill health

THEODORE RUNYON.

which has been the cause of great personal sorrow to me. Knowing the man as I do I can appreciate the sincerity of his desire to resign, as he would never accept office unless he was able to discharge fully every trust of his position. It is too early to forecast the political complexion of the New Jersey legislature. We must await the termination of the fall campaign, the result of which I am bound to admit is uncertain."

"The delicacy of my friendship with Mr. McPherson does not permit a discussion of the question of succession, but this much I will say. If the New Jersey legislature honors me with election to the United States senate I will probably accept."

Mr. Runyon's wife and daughters will arrive here from America on Friday. The ambassador has leased a residence in Thiergarten strasse for the season.

A Financial Canard.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—A report was circulated in Wall street yesterday afternoon that the reorganization committee of the Chicago and Northern Pacific Railroad company had discovered that $2,500,000 of the company's bonds had disappeared. The facts are that the bonds alluded to are those which are in question in the settlement of accounts between the receivers of the Chicago and Northern Pacific and the receivers of the Northern Pacific. The bonds are held as collateral, and both reorganization committees know who holds them.

Pressing the Freedom of Worship Bill.

BUDA PESTH, Oct. 9.—In the house of magnates the bill dealing with the religion of the children of mixed marriages was finally adopted. The government has again introduced in the house of magnates the bills relative to religion formerly rejected by the house. Dr. Wekerle, the Hungarian prime minister, hopes that in view of the great majority obtained for the measure in the lower house of the diet the house of magnates will abate its opposition to them.

Breckinridge Mentioned for Senator.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Oct. 9.—Friends of Breckinridge are bringing him out for senator. Secretary Carlisle, Senator Blackburn, Governor Brown, General Buckner and Henry Watterson are among the other names mentioned. The friends of Owens are insisting on Senator Blackburn taking the stump immediately in the Ashland district for Owens.

Cremated in a Bonfire.

VINCENNES, Ind., Oct. 9.—A young son of United States Collector of Internal Revenue Burke was burned to death here last night. An elder brother had gathered a pile of dead leaves in the street, and after setting them on fire had left them. His brother began playing with the burning stuff and soon his clothing caught fire, burning him to death.

Fugitive Cashier Willis Captured.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Detectives here yesterday arrested James Willis, who was cashier of the bank at New Bloomfield, Pa., which was wrecked some months ago through the alleged fraudulent operations of its officials. The prisoner left for Pennsylvania last night with Sheriff Rice, of Perry county.

Glad Tidings.

The grand specific for the prevailing malady of the age, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Rheumatism, Costiveness, General Debility, etc., is Bacon's Celery King for the nerves. This great herbal tonic stimulates the digestive organs, regulates the Liver and restores the system to vigorous health and energies. Samples free. Large packages 50c and 25c. Sold only by John J. Chambers, 21 West Main Street opp. Runyons Grocery.

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THE WAR IN THE ORIENT.

A Reported Rebellion of Chinese Subjects Against the Emperor.

LONDON, Oct. 8.—A dispatch from Shanghai says that rumors are current there that a rebellion has broken out in the district of Jehol, in the province of Chili, the object of the rebellion being to overthrow the Nantchu dynasty. No details have been received, and the rumors are officially discredited.

For the purpose of checking the depredations of the Chinese marauders the Russian government has decided to promptly send to the frontier five battalions of Siberian troops, two sotnias of Cossacks and three batteries of artillery. This force will be under the command of General Nestchuk.

A dispatch to The Standard from Berlin says that The Reichsanzeiger states that Japan decreed the creation of naval prize courts on Sept 20, and that one of these courts has actually been sitting since Sept. 21. The supreme court sits at Tokio.

It is semi-officially stated in Paris that the dispatch of French warships to China is by virtue of an international agreement to which Great Britain, Russia, Germany and France have already adhered.

The advance guard of the Japanese army has crossed the Yalu river and formed a new camp. A battle is believed to be imminent.

Ex-Governor Curtin's Funeral.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Oct. 9.—The arrangements for the funeral of ex-Governor Curtin are as follows: Public meeting of citizens and Bar association at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning; body to lie in state in the court house from 12 to 1:30 o'clock; funeral services at 2. The honorary pall bearers will be Governor Pattison, Hon. John Dean, Hon. John Scott, ex-Senator Wallace, General Beaver, General Hastings, General Taylor, Colonel A. K. McClure, Colonel William B. Mann, Judge Furst, Thomas Collins and E. C. Humes. The coffin bearers will be four members of the Pennsylvania Reserve association; four of the Soldiers' Orphans' organization and four members of the G. A. R.

The War Spirit Spreading.

LOURENZO MARQUES, Delagoa Bay, Oct. 9.—A Portuguese official has returned here after visiting Chief Gungunhana. He passed through the disaffected country in safety. Gungunhana's people are quiet, but the war spirit is spreading fast. All the natives in the Portuguese territory are in arms. The women and children have been sent north and the men are massing in thousands on the banks of the Incomati river. All the shops in the country districts have been looted and the arms and ammunition abandoned by the Portuguese are now in the hands of the natives.

A Rebellious South Carolina Sheriff.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Oct. 9.—Governor Tillman received a telegram from Constable Workman, at Greenville, that he seized a trunk which contained some export beer. Constable Workman had sworn out a search warrant before the local trial justice and given it to the sheriff to execute. Constable Workman telegraphed that the sheriff had declined to make the search. Upon this information Governor Tillman telegraphed to the sheriff that he should make the search, and if he did not he would report the case to the legislature and have him removed from office.

Wilson's Campaign Opened.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Oct. 9.—Congressman W. L. Wilson opened his campaign here yesterday amid much enthusiasm. He was accompanied from Washington by Hon. John T. McGraw, chairman of the Democratic congressional committee; W. A. Crofutt, Joseph Kerr, clerk of the house of representatives; A. B. Hurt, doorkeeper; H. H. Moler, assistant sergeant-at-arms, W. J. Houghtaling, reading clerk, and F. H. Tompkins, index clerk.

Robbery and Murder Suspected.

ALLENTOWN, Pa., Oct. 9.—Matthias Fritz's log cabin, on a lonely part of the Blue mountains near Slatington, was destroyed by fire late Saturday night, and Fritz is missing. He was an eccentric bachelor, and was believed to have made considerable money by dealing in hides and terrapin. It is feared that he was robbed, murdered and his body burned in the cabin.

Deadly Duel with Axes.

HENDERSON, Ky., Oct. 9.—Two farmers, Raymond Martin and Robert Rye, at Hebardsville, Ky., fourteen miles from here, quarreled about a woman. Martin got two axes, and handing one to Rye he proposed a duel. They fought until Rye had both arms severed and fell dead. Martin received horrible gashes about the head and breast, and is dying.

A Denial by the Pullman Company.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—A plea was filed in the circuit court, before Judge Gibbons, in behalf of the Pullman Palace Car company, in defense of the quo warranto proceedings begun by Attorney General Olney. It denies the charges that the company is exceeding its rights in doing business not provided for in its charter.

"There is Danger In Delay."

Since 1861 I have been a great sufferer from catarrh. I tried Ely's Cream Balm and to all appearances am cured. Terrible headaches from which I had long suffered are gone. —W. J. Hitchcock, late Major U. S. Vol. and A. A. Gen., Buffalo, N. Y.

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New York Takes Four Straight Games from Baltimore.

AND CAPTURES THE TEMPLE CUP.

By the Victories Won in This Series the New York Players Will Each Receive Nearly $1,000, While the Baltimoreans Will Divide $9,000 Between Them.

NEW YORK, Oct 9.—The Temple cup has been won by the Giants. Four well contested games have been played for the possession of this trophy—the final one at the Polo grounds yesterday afternoon. Six games were originally scheduled by Managers Ward and Hanlon, three to be played in New York and three in Baltimore, with the understanding that if the series then stood a tie that the seventh and deciding game should be played in the city of the team whose manager should win by the toss of a coin. But seven contests were not necessary. Four settled everything. It was said that the receipts for the four games will amount to about $25,000. Of this the Giants will get $16,000. As the expenses are not heavy each of the sixteen New York players will receive as his share nearly $1,000. The Baltimores will have about $9,000 to divide up among fourteen players after their expenses are paid.

There were 12,000 people present yesterday, and there was the same enthusiasm which has marked each game. Van Haltren looked the picture of happiness in the second inning when Digby Bell walked out to the home plate, and in behalf of the centerfielder's host of friends presented him with a silver bat of regulation size. Van responded with a two-bagger, and got home from third on Farrell's drive to left, tieing the score in the third inning, and pandemonium broke loose. The New Yorkers simply went wild with enthusiasm, which was bottled up for two innings and bubbled over like champagne.

In the sixth inning Van Haltren met with an accident which caused him to retire from the game. He collided with Jennings while trying to steal second base, and was knocked unconscious. When he recovered his nose appeared to be broken, but later it was found to be only an abrasion. Murphy took his place in centerfield. Jennings was seriously cut on the forehead and retired in favor of Bonner.

Only five safe hits were made off Meekin, who pitched great ball. They bunched two in the second inning, but failed to score. In the last four innings the Baltimores did not connect successfully with Meekin's curves even once. The New Yorks, on the other hand, made twenty safe hits off Gleason's pitching.

On account of darkness hostilities were stopped at the end of the eighth inning. There were many sensational plays, a stop by Davis being one of the finest ever seen on any ball field. Farrell, Van Haltren, Bonner and Brodie did phenomenal fielding.

The score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
New York	.	1	6	1	3	5	1	5	0	16	20	5
Baltimore	-	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	5	4

Irish Home Rule Cause Dying.

DUBLIN, Oct. 9.—A largely attended Parnellite meeting was held in the rotunda here yesterday. Mr. John Redmond, member of the house of commons for Waterford, presided. He said that the home rule cause was dying from apathy. The majority of the Irish parliamentary party—the Parnellites—would do their utmost to force a dissolution of parliament at the next session. He predicted that a new united party would be created with Parnellite principles powerful enough to force home rule to the front again.

A Very Important Infant.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The infant son of the Duke and Duchess of York and grandson of the Prince of Wales, is now visiting London. The baby who may possibly be king of England some day is to be short-frocked in the immediate future, and in preparation for this event all the necessary articles of apparel have been ordered furnished of British manufacture. The child was born June 23 last.

Killed by Exploding Mine Gas.

ASHLAND, Pa., Oct. 9.—John Bugdanius, aged 16 years, was instantly killed and Peter Lasouski, aged 35, fatally injured by an explosion of gas in the Maple Hill mines. The explosion was caused by the careless handling of a safety lamp.

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The Doctors Endorse It.

At a regular meeting of the Genesee County (N. Y.) Medical Society, the physicians of the county passed a vote of thanks for samples of Gilmore's Aromatic Wine, which had been presented to the society, and said that they recognized the remedy as being adapted to a large class of summer diseases. Physicians everywhere recommend this excellent medicine, especially to their lady patients. Sold by all druggists for $1.00 per bottle.

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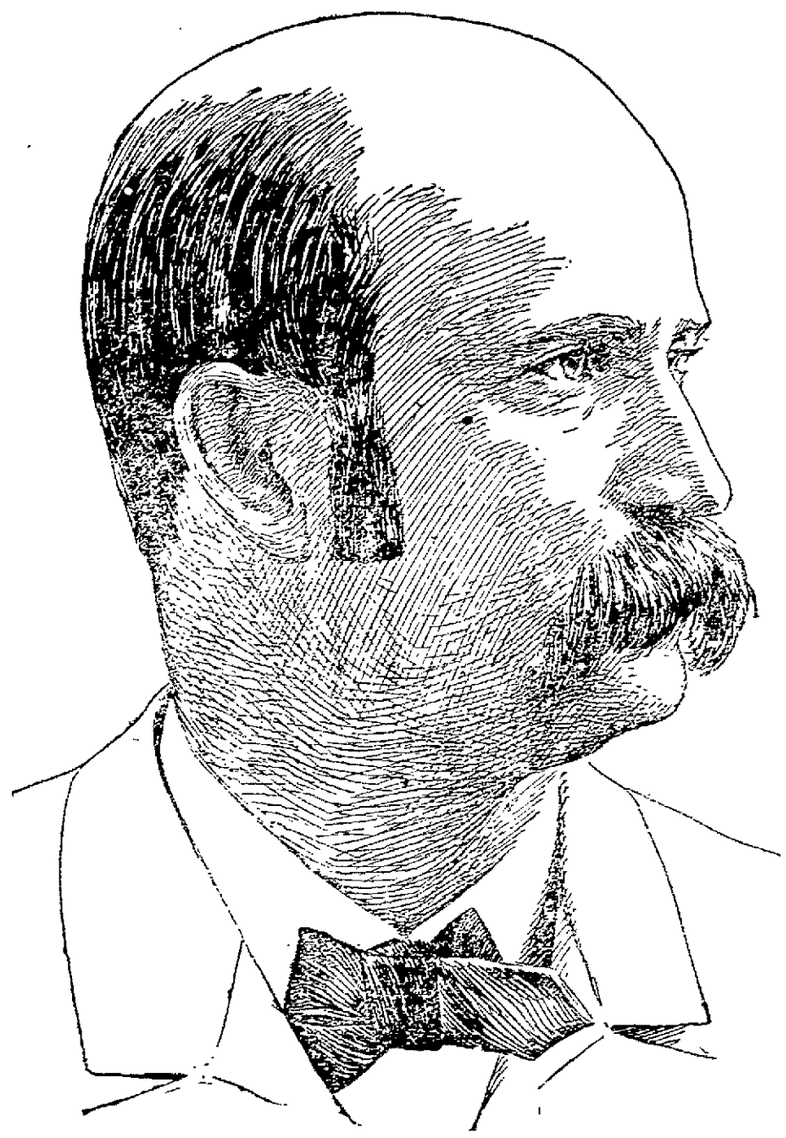

DAVID B. HILL,
Democratic Candidate for Governor.

BRUTAL TRAIN WRECKERS.

Sawed the Piles of a Bridge, but Only the Fireman Was Killed.

RHINELANDER, Wis., Oct. 9.—Nothing but unaccountable good luck prevented the worst passenger wreck of the year on the Soo line. The Boston-Minneapolis, limited, west, went through a trestle between Hefford Junction and Bradley. The stringer and piles had been sawed after the east bound limited passed the place an hour and forty minutes before. The rails were left with no support and the engine crashed through. They were going thirty-five miles an hour, and instead of dropping into the opening the engine struck the solid track beyond and turned clean over down the embankment. The engineer, James Dutch, of Minneapolis, was thrown twenty feet ahead. He sustained a broken leg, bad cuts on the head and a badly bruised body. He will recover. Charles Gotterhill, the fireman, was pinned under the heavy engine, which was terribly smashed, and instantly killed. He leaves a wife and two children at Minneapolis. The baggage car and sleeper left the track, but none of the occupants were badly hurt. The trestle is some twenty feet hight.

The MacIntyres Plead Not Guilty.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct 9.—Andrew MacIntyre, his wife, Margaret, and his sister, Mrs. Sarah Fussell, were called upon in the Camden quarter sessions to plead to seven indictments, charging them with the burning of the handsome MacIntyre mansion at Merchantville in the early summer. Two of the indictments charged the three with arson and one charged Mrs. Fussell separately. The other indictments charged the three with arson and an attempt to defraud various insurance companies, and to defraud Joshua Griffeth, mortgagee. All pleaded not guilty. Mrs. Fussell's bail was increased from $1,000 to $1,500.

Shipwrecked Passengers Rescued.

ADELAIDE, Australia, Oct. 9.—The passenger steamer Londone was wrecked Saturday on Pollock reef forty miles south of Cape Arid. There were on board 160 passengers while the crew numbered thirty six. All hands made their escape to the reef over the bows of the steamer. After getting on the reef rafts were built of wreckage, and on these everybody embarked and slowly sailed and rowed to an island twenty miles north of the reef, where all but four passengers, who are missing, landed in safety. Some time afterward the schooner Grace Darling rescued all hands from the island.

Mrs. Emmett Wins Her Case.

NEW YORK, Oct 9.—Gilbert M. Spier, as referee, has made a report to the supreme court recommending that Daisy Way Emmett is entitled to a decree of absolute divorce from her husband, Joseph K. Emmett, the young actor, and that he be compelled to pay her $40 a week for her support and maintenance, and an additional $10 a week for the support of their child, Eleanor Elizabeth Emmett. The evidence shows that the actor lived with Miss Lytton in a boarding house at Canadensis, Monroe county, Pa., as husband and wife.

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VICTORY FOR THE READING.

Judge Dallas Decides That Wilkinson Has No Standing in Court.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—The case of the Reading railroad employes who are members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, against the receivers of the company, which was brought before the United States circuit court on Friday, was continued yesterday before Judge Dallas, and after a brief argument was postponed until Friday of this week, when the real merits of the case will be argued.

Counsel for the employes presented a petition signed by Stephen E. Wilkinson, of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen of Illinois; Thomas McDermott and George H. Rupple, who are employes of the Reading Railroad company, setting forth that there are 130 members of the organization, a majority of whom have been members seven years; that on the 15th of August of this year the members were notified by Superintendent Sweigard that they would have to renounce their allegiance to the brotherhood before Oct. 8 or be dismissed from the employment of the company. Later, on Sept. 3, they were further notified that they must surrender the charter of the organization or every member would be dismissed. Superintendent Sweigard stated that he was simply carrying out the wishes of his superior officers. Judge Dallas decided that Grand Master Wilkinson has no standing before the court, and dismissed him as a petitioner.

Attacked by Italian Brigands.

PARIS, Oct. 9.—The Chateau St. Pierre des Porte de Hyeres, an ancient residence that is usually rented by foreign visitors to the Riviera, was the scene last night of a desperate attack of Italian brigands. The attacking party attempted to carry the place by assault, using scaling ladders in their efforts to reach the interior of the building. There were a number of servants in the house, who, badly frightened by the boldness of the attack, made a desperate resistance, and succeeded in holding the brigands outside the walls. While the fight was being waged a number of gendarmes approached the place, whereupon the brigands fled.

A Respite Just in Time.

TUSHKA HOMMA, I. T., Oct. 9.—Silas Lewis, one of the Wilburton Chocktaw political prisoners, was to have been shot to death here Saturday, 3 p. m. being the hour set for the execution. The prisoner, heavily manacled, with arms folded, had taken his seat on the death box, and the two guards stood ready, when a courier rode up with an order from Judge Holson respiting Lewis for thirty days, according to instructions from the interior department. Had the rider been one minute later his order would have been useless. This is the fourth respite Lewis has had.

Correcting Cardinal Gibbons.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Dr. Julia Holmes Smith, Democratic nominee for trustee of the Illinois State university, in an interview on Cardinal Gibbons' attack on woman suffrage said: "In support of his idea the cardinal recites the words of a Grecian ruler: 'I command Athens, Athens rules the world, and my wife rules me; therefore she rules the world.' Had the cardinal investigated his Grecian history more carefully he would have discovered that it was not the wife that ruled or governed. The man whom Aspasia governed had a wife and family at home."

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OPPOSITION TO HILL.

The Kings County Democrats Desert the Party Ticket.

TO HOLD A MEETING OF BOLTERS.

A Resolution to That End Passed by a Vote of Forty-seven to Seven—Whitney Appeals to Democrats—Senator Hill's Campaign.

BROOKLYN, Oct 9.—The meeting of the Shepard faction of the Democracy of Kings county was held at their headquarters last night. The meeting was called for the purpose of appointing a committee to confer with delegates from other parts of the state in New York city today. The committee was not appointed, but the following resolutions looking to that end were adopted:

"Resolved, That this delegation declare in favor of the immediate nomination of the third party ticket, and that a committee of nine be appointed by the chair, who shall be one of that committee.

"Resolved, That they hereby be authorized to go into consultation with other Democrats from other parts of the state, and put said ticket in nomination."

These resolutions were adopted by a vote of 47 to 7.

Edward M. Shepard, who presided, will probably name the committee this afternoon, ~~in which event a meeting may be~~ called for tomorrow.

Whitney Appeals to Democrats.

NEW YORK, Oct 9.—The state Democratic committee is sending out a letter written by ex-Secretary W. C. Whitney. Mr. Whitney declares that if he ever felt inclined to break away from any rule which he had made for himself it was during the present campaign. He thought that never before in the history of the party had there been a time when Democrats should sink party differences and stand together for the common good as like the present occasion. New York state he believes to be the pivotal state, and defeat here would mean discouragement for Democrats and encouragement for Republicans throughout the entire country.

Ratifying Hill's Nomination.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The Democrats of this city last night, under the auspices of the Democratic club, ratified the nominations of David B. Hill for governor, Daniel M. Lockwood for lieutenant governor, and Judge Charles F. Brown for judge of the court of appeals. The meeting was held in Cooper Union, and was addressed by John Boyd Thacher of Albany, Senator J. W. Daniel of Virginia, and ex-Judge John E. Fitzgerald of Boston.

Senator Hill's Campaign.

ALBANY, Oct. 9.—Senator Hill passed yesterday at his law office, and saw a few visitors. "My campaign will open in Syracuse," said the senator, "on Thursday night, and from that time on I will be actively engaged. The prospects are bright."

New York Cloakmakers on Strike.

NEW YORK, Oct 9.—Nine thousand members of the Operators and Cloakmakers' Union No. 1 met in and around Irving hall last night, and by an almost unanimous vote declared a general strike. Joseph Barondess presided. "We must fight not only for reasonable wages, but for our starving wives, children and relatives and for principle and justice," said one speaker. Another warned his auditors that in declaring a general strike they must assume the risk of starving for at least six weeks. With vociferous yeas they expressed their willingness to incur this risk, and will strike on Tuesday next.

Back from Behring Sea.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct 9.—The United States steamer Mohican and the revenue cutter Corwin have arrived here from Behring sea. The Mohican, having lost two blades of her propeller, came down slowly under sail and steam. Both vessels experienced heavy gales off the northern California coast, during which the Corwin's starboard davits were carried away and two of her boats smashed. The revenue cutter Bear is still in the north, and will not arrive here before December.

Death of a Retired Baltimore Merchant.

BALTIMORE, Oct 9.—Mr. James Carey died yesterday afternoon at his country seat, "The Mount," in the 74th year of his age. His grandfather was the president of the first city council of Baltimore, and the second president of the first bank in Maryland. Mr. Carey was an elder of the Society of Friends (orthodox), and was closely identified with its religious work. He was for nearly fifty years in mercantile business. He retired from active business about ten years ago.

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A GIRL PILOT.

Miss Polhemus Brings Ships Into the Harbor of San Diego.

Miss Elizabeth Polhemus of San Diego will soon be a regular and licensed pilot, as she knows the harbor as well as any man on the coast and only has to wait the prescribed time to pass an examination before the California board of pilot commissioners. Practically she is a pilot now, but when she brings in a ship some veteran in that line stands by her, and his name is given merely to comply with the law. Not once in six months has it been necessary to change any of her orders, as she knows every reef, shoal and current of San Diego harbor.

MISS POLHEMUS.

Her talent is largely hereditary. Her father is a veteran of the seas, fought for his country in the navy, has sailed all seas as master of big merchant ships and now holds an important position in the harbor of San Diego. The daughter has lived all her life by the sea or on it. When in her teens, she could handle an 80 foot schooner in a stiff breeze almost like a veteran and at length won the highest honors of the profession. One afternoon during a half gale from the southeast a 3,000 ton collier came in, and the master, in his eagerness to make port that afternoon, ran too close before taking a pilot and found himself about to be driven on Zaningu shoal, off the harbor mouth.

Miss Polhemus, being the only pilot available at the time, soon reached the collier, and after giving the captain her opinion of his carelessness in very forcible sailor English took the wheel, gave orders to shorten sail and soon had the vessel on another tack. This achievement excited the enthusiasm of all the pilots on the coast. When Miss Polhemus gets her pilot's certificate, her fees for bringing a vessel in will be $5 per foot of the vessel's draft and 4 cents per ton—a very profitable profession indeed for a woman.

MAY SUCCEED GENERAL MILES.

The Brilliant Military Career of General Thomas Howard Ruger.

General Thomas Howard Ruger, who is slated to succeed General Nelson A. Miles at Chicago, commanding department of the Missouri, when the latter is transferred to New York, has had a very wide and varied experience and has several times been much discussed in the newspapers as commander in places where civil and military affairs were badly in interlocked. Especially was this the case during his command

GENERAL RUGER.

in South Carolina in 1876-7. In one of the most embarrassing and harassing situations in which a military man can be placed he did his duty with a cool impartiality which won the esteem of all parties. His administration of the West Point Military academy from 1871 to 1876 also exhibited great executive ability.

He was born in Lima, N. Y., April 2, 1833, graduated from West Point in 1854, was assistant engineer in charge of the construction of defenses of New Orleans till his resignation, after which he practiced law in Jamesville, Wis., till the outbreak of the civil war. June 29, 1861, he was commissioned lieutenant colonel of the Third regiment Wisconsin Volunteer infantry, but soon became its colonel and commanded it in very active service till November, 1862, when he was made brigadier general. He participated in many hard fought battles in different departments and was mustered out of the volunteer service June 15, 1866. He was at once made a colonel in the regular army and attained the rank of brigadier general. He had been brevetted major general of volunteers for gallant and meritorious services at the battle of Franklin, Tenn.

He was also provisional governor of Georgia during the first half of 1868. In 1879 he took final leave of the south and was in command at Fort Assiniboin and at Helena, Mon., until 1885. The infantry and cavalry school at Fort Leavenworth was then under his command for a year, after which he was transferred in turn to the departments of Missouri, Dakota and California. He made a fine record in the field during the Pine Ridge Indian campaign of 1891. If transferred from California to the department of the Missouri, as army men now think certain, General Ruger will rank third in the army, General Schofield being first and General Miles, if put in command at New York, second.

Volcanoes Under the Sea.

Since the beginning of this century no less than 52 volcanic islands have risen out of the sea; 19 disappeared, being submerged; the others remain, and 10 are now inhabited.

The Greatest of Hacks.

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AMERICA'S GREATEST MEN AND WOMEN.

MR. WILSON TALKS.

MY Name is Wilson; I do an insurance business on LaSalle street, in Chicago Ill., and I live in Evanston, Ill. Evanston is what was originally a scattering population on a pretty point on Lake Michigan, esteemed years ago far from the city of Chicago, but now one of the varied towns which may go within it by vote of the population.

I am married and have a wife and one child. That child is a boy (I suppose I should feel the same solicitude if it was a girl), and I have a father's natural fancies as to what must be the best thing to give that child the right kind of intelligence, and so divert his course that he may succeed in life. I have studied a great deal upon the subject. My own experience would not be of great value, because I have succeeded only to the limit of the average man and am barely established; still, I own the house and lot upon which I live, and am feeling perfectly safe in meeting the exigencies of the year. I want the boy to take a broader view than I did, to be a bigger man in the world. I have studied how to teach him to do that, and he has done pretty well, as far as the preliminaries go. Now, I have thought over what I should say to him and have sometimes been puzzled. I could not very well tell him what to do. I wanted to tell him what I needed but what I did not learn myself when I was of his age, and what my father did not know how to tell me, or else was not thoughtful enough to do so. I wanted to tell him how to follow the example of those who have succeeded at the present time and under the circumstances which ordinarily affect a young man struggling in this Republic established on this comparatively new world to-day. I wanted to tell him just what he had better do to get along well, and to point out to him what had been done by the people who were successful at the present time.

Of course, the record of the people of any time past would not be of so much value, because circumstances must necessarily have been different when they were alive. I feel confident, though, that if I could learn, some way and somehow, what the people who are so successful to day have done and how they did it, I could give to my boy such advice as would make his own life at least as far removed from failure as justified by the natural ability he may possess,

I looked around for some authority which I might consult in order to give him the facts most essential with this idea of mine in mind, but I could find none until I discovered that a great publishing firm in Chicago had decided to bring out a book giving the photographs of all the people who are prominent in America to-day. Here was what I wanted. The book, as I have learned, is going to be published in 16 parts, 16 pages to each, with a recent photograph on each page of some active leading American man or woman of to-day, while underneath appears the story of that same person's life—the story telling what that person did, and how the ends attained were eventually accomplished. Here was what I wanted; here was what I needed in various ways; here was what I was certainly seeking in order to obtain the information with which to educate my boy and secure for him that knowledge which will give him a source of thought and make him prominent in the world.

I have the first sheets of this work. It is a graphic story of America's Greatest Men and Women, told in each instance on a single page underneath a photograph of recent date, which conveys to the eye an idea of what that person is. To me the photograph tells even more than the suggestive record beneath; and yet it is odd how in each instance the correct story corresponds with the expression upon the face which is reproduced in the portrait above. I do not know how the series will end. I know very little about this new feature of the newspaper people; I know nothing about the publishers and their expectations, but I do know this: that if the series so begun should be continued to its practical, ordinary good sense end—and I don't care whether that will include 200 or 700 of America's Greatest Men and Women, which is the title of the book—I do know this, that for the ordinary, active and alert business man—I will certainly say far more for the student or the literary man, or the politician or the statesman—for all these I will say it will be simply the most valuable and the most remarkable book produced in modern history The wonder is that some one has not thought of it before. Yet no one seems to have done so since the days of Plutarch. Plutarch knew something. That shrewd old fellow knew that all who would get out of the drift, all who would accomplish great things, wanted to know every detail of the lives of those who had better luck or more courage or a broader brain than their fellows; but I am no authority on these points. I only know that there is produced a second Plutarch's Lives, that its biographies are shrewd, graphic and curt, and written without bias and without prejudice. I only know that there was a Plutarch—God bless the old fellow—and that there is this modern work.

This is the work I am going to give to my boy. I am going to make him read it thoroughly. The work is announced as consisting of 16 Parts, with 16 pages and 16 photographs in each part, and when bound, the whole series will make a great volume of 256 pages, the like of which has never been equaled. It is the story of the personal character of the men and women who are making the nation's history at this particular time. What a work this is! Do you imagine that I would miss it for my boy, or, incidentally, for myself?

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HEAD OF THE COAST SURVEY.

General William W. Duffield Comes of a Distinguished Family.

General William Ward Duffield of Detroit, the newly appointed superintendent of the coast and geodetic survey, has had a long and varied career as engineer, soldier and scientist and is a scion of a family which has produced eminent men for 160 years. The founder of the family in America was George Duffield, who emigrated from Ireland to Pennsylvania in 1732. His son George was long the leading Presbyterian divine and scholar of the country and was famous as chaplain and attendant on sick and wounded soldiers during the Revolutionary war, and his son George was an eminent merchant and official in Philadelphia.

The merchant's son George, fourth of the name, became the eminent Dr. Duffield of Michigan, preacher, author and educator, and his wife, Isabella Graham Bethune, sister of the famous Dr. George

GENERAL W. W. DUFFIELD.

Bethune, was eminent in many ways. They also had a son George, who became eminent in the ministry, and William Ward Duffield is their third son.

They had five sons, of whom three are ministers, and one, General Henry Martin Duffield, won high honors during the civil war, was wounded at Chickamauga while on the staff of General Thomas and was the orator of the day when the Garfield statue was unveiled at Washington in 1887.

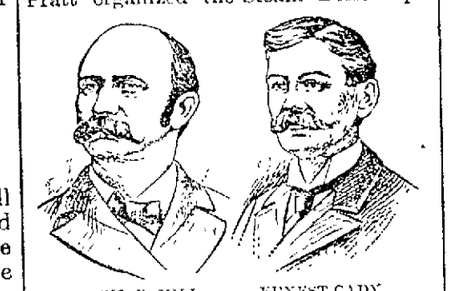
William Ward Duffield was born Nov. 19, 1823, in Carlisle, Pa., was graduated at Columbia in 1842, served in the Mexican war on the staff of General Gideon J. Pillon and was wounded at Cerro Gordo and Contreras. He entered the civil war as lieutenant colonel of the Fourth Michigan infantry, and by hard service gained the rank of brigadier general. President Lincoln brevetted him major general for conspicuous gallantry in the battle of Murfreesboro. As engineer he has managed many great works and was engaged as chief engineer in the construction of the Kentucky Union railroad when appointed to his present position. In 1880 he was a candidate for sheriff of Wayne county, in which Detroit is situated, but was defeated. He has a son and daughter, and his family has recently lived at Pineville, Ky. The Duffields are a long lived and hardy race, and though 70 years old the general is quite vigorous.

GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATES.

Hill and Cady Lead the Democratic Party In Two States.

Lieutenant Governor Ernest Cady and ex-Governor and Senator David Bennett Hill are very much in evidence just now, as they say in Paris, being Democratic candidates for the governorship of Connecticut and New York respectively. Senator Hill has already filled the office he aspires to for seven years, and Mr. Cady has been lieutenant governor for two years. The latter is most prominent in business, as the former is in politics.

Ernest Cady was born Sept. 6, 1842, at Stafford, in Tolland county, Conn. His father died when he was 9 years old, and thereafter he earned his own living by working on the farm and in the factory, gaining an education by attending the winter terms of a district school. In August, 1861, he enlisted in the navy and served under Farragut; received an honorable discharge at the end of 13 months' service, and after some years of merchandizing and manufacturing woolens removed to Hartford in 1876, and with R. N. and F. A. Pratt organized the Steam Boiler Ap-



DAVID B. HILL. ERNEST CADY.

pliance company. This has grown until its capital stock is rated at nearly $500,000, and it employs 1,200 men. Mr. Cady has always been active in politics, but the lieutenant governorship is his first important office.

David Bennett Hill was born Aug. 29, 1843, in Havana, Schuyler county, N. Y., and graduated at the academy there; studied law in Elmira and was admitted to practice in 1864; was soon after appointed city attorney and was subsequently twice chosen president of the State Bar association. In 1871 and again in 1872 he was elected to represent Chemung county in the state assembly; was president of the Democratic state conventions of 1877 and 1881; was elected mayor of Elmira in 1882 and soon after lieutenant governor; became governor when Grover Cleveland resigned in 1885; was elected governor the next fall and re-elected in 1888, and in 1891 was chosen United States senator.

Senator Hill is unmarried and finds his chief amusement in politics, although he is very fond of the theater and baseball.

THE POISONS

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14—Wickham ave., Cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North street and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad Ave. and Montgomery St.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street, corner West street.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital.
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
34—Fulton and Mill streets hat shops.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy and Houston avenues.
43—E. Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—E. Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Genung street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenues.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
57—Franklin Square.

MIDDLETOWN TIME CARD.

The following is the time of departure of passenger trains from Middletown stations beginning June 17th, '94, and continuing until further notice:

N. Y., L. E. & W. RAILROAD.

EAST BOUND.

NO.		JAMES ST.	MAIN ST
112,	Chicago Express	4:30 a. m.	
110,	Buffalo Express	6:01 "	
26,	Middletown Way, T	6:24 "	6:36 a. m
16,	Orange Co., G. M	7:10 "	7:12 "
28,	Mountain Express	8:23 "	8:25 "
38,	Del Valley Ex., G. M. P	10:31 "	
6,	Way Mail, G (ex. Sunday)	12:59 p. m.	
2,	Chicago Express	2:53 "	
30,	Way, M P. G. T	4:43 "	4:45 p. m
8,	Chicago Limited	7:12 "	
18,	Milk	7:53 "	
14,	Wells-Fargo Express		
506,	Pt. Jervis Local (sun only)	8:23 a. m	8:25 a. m
520,	Port Jervis Local	5:15 p. m	
128,	M. & C. Branch, arrive		8:13 a. m
130,	M. & C. Branch, arrive		5:55 p. m

WEST BOUND.

17,	Milk	7:47 a. m
21,	Port Jervis Way	10:39 " 10:35 a. m
1,	Day Express	11:25 "
11,	Port Jervis Local	1:01 p. m 1:01 p. m
33,	Port Jervis Local	3:30 " 3:37 "
15,	Chicago Limited	5:02 "
27,	Mountain Express	5:10 " 5:35 "
15,	Orange County	6:50 " 6:40 "
25,	Middletown Way, arrives	8:00 " 7:58 "
7,	C & G. T. Express	8:57 "
29,	Emigrant	9:40 "
3,	Chicago Express	11:12 "
601,	Pt. Jervis Way (Sun. only)	10:45a. m 10:40 a. m
625,	" " "	3:19 p. m 3:16 p. m
617,	" " "	9:42 "
501,	M. & C. Branch train	11:35a. m 11:40 a. m
3115,	" " "	6:55 p. m

Trains marked with a ‡ run daily. Trains Nos. 501, 506, 617, 620 and 625 runs Sunday only. All other trains daily except Sunday. ‡Train No. 5 will only stop for passengers for Binghamton or west thereof; due notification must be given at the ticket office. Trains with the following letters affixed indicate connections, viz: "G." with Newburgh Branch via Greycourt; "T." with Newburgh Short Cut Branch, via Turners; "M." with Montgomery Branch; "P." with Pine Island Branch

Passenger trains for Middletown leave foot of Chambers street, New York, at ‡4:15, ‡7:45, 9:15, 10:30 a. m.; 1:00, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, ‡6:30, 7:00, ‡8:45 p. m. Sundays only 12:30 p. m.

N. Y., O. & W. RAILROAD.

LEAVE WICKHAM AVENUE.

NORTH BOUND.

Milk	7:42 a. m
Day Express	10:55 "
Pacific Express	10:50 p. m

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 8	7:55 a. m
Atlantic Express	8:12 "
Day Express	4:30 p. m
Milk	7:40 "

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7	**Coughs,** Colds, Bronchitis	.25
8	**Neuralgia,** Toothache, Faceache	.25
9	**Headaches,** Sick Headache, Vertigo	.25
10	**Dyspepsia,** Biliousness, Constipation	.25
11	**Suppressed or Painful Periods**	.25
12	**Whites,** Too Profuse Periods	.25
13	**Croup, Laryngitis,** Hoarseness	.25
14	**Salt Rheum,** Erysipelas, Eruptions	.25
15	**Rheumatism,** Rheumatic Pains	.25
16	**Malaria,** Chills, Fever and Ague	.25
19	**Catarrh,** Influenza, Cold in the Head	.25
20	**Whooping Cough**	.25
27	**Kidney Diseases**	.25
28	**Nervous Debility**	1.00
30	**Urinary Weakness**	.25
34	**Sore Throat,** Quincy, Ulcerated Throat	.25

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Where the Casino Chart Can be Found.

The chart for the advance sale of tickets for the Casino Theatre will hereafter be found at H. S. Dusenberry & Son's jewelry store, 4 North street.

STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Closing Quotations of the New York and Philadelphia Exchanges.

NEW YORK Oct 8.—The stock market opened fairly firm, and in many cases a fraction higher, but the temper of speculation quickly changed under a sharp selling movement, in which Sugar, Chicago Gas and the Grangers were most prominent. Not until about noon was there a rally, and then only a small part of the decline was recovered. Closing bids;

Lehigh Valley	37⅛	W N Y & Pa	5⅜
Pennsylvania	51⅜	Erie	14⅛
Reading	19⅛	D., L. & W	163⅛
St Paul	62⅜	West Shore	105⅜
Lehigh Nav	51⅞	N Y Central	99¾
N Y & N E pf	30⅜	Lake Erie & W	17
New Jersey Cen	111	Del & Hudson	153¾

General Markets.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct 8.—Flour weak; winter super., $2@2 10; do extras, $2 25@2.40; No. 2 winter family, $2 40@2.50; Pennsylvania roller straight, $2.50@2.65; western winter clear, $2 40@2 60 Wheat firmer, quiet, with 55c bid and 55¼c. asked for October. Corn higher, firm, with 57½c. bid and 58½c. asked for October. Oats quiet, stronger, with 36c. bid and 36½c. asked for October. Beef steady; pickled bellies, 7¼@8c.; pickled shoulders, 5¼@6c. Pork dull. Lard steady; western, $8@8 05. Butter weak; western dairy, 13@17c.; do creamery, 15@26c; do. factory, 12@15½c; Elgins, 25c; imitation creamery, 14@19c.; New York dairy, 14@23c.; do. creamery, 18@25c; Pennsylvania creamery prints, fancy, 27c.; some fancy lots higher; do choice, 26c; do. fair to good, 23@25c; prints jobbing at 28@31c. Cheese steady; New York large, 8@10½c.; small, 8½@10c; part skims, 4@8c.; full skims, 3@3½c. Eggs weak; New York and Pennsylvania, 19@20c; ice house, 15@16½c.; western fresh, 17@18½c, cases, $2 25@4 25

Live Stock Markets.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Beeves active, higher; native steers, good to prime, $5@5.60; medium to fair, $4.40@4.90; common to ordinary, $3.75@4 35; poor, $3 25@3 50; Colorados, fair, $3.70@3 85; stags and oxen, $2 25@4; bulls, $2@3; dry cows, $1 45@2 Calves dull; veals lower; grassers ½c lower; western calves ½c. lower than a week ago, poor to prime veals, $5@7 25; grassers, $2@4.37½; western calves, poor to good, $2 65@3 50 Sheep weak; lambs lower; poor to prime sheep, $1 75@3 25; common to choice lambs, $4 75@4 25; fancy, $4 50. Hogs lower, dull; inferior to choice state hogs, $5 30@5 75.

EAST LIBERTY, Pa., Oct 8.—Cattle steady and unchanged. Hogs active; Philadelphias, $5 60@5 70; best Yorkers and mixed, $5 40@5.55; common to fair Yorkers, $5 20@5 30. Sheep weak; extra, $4 20@3 50; good, $2 70@3.10; fair, $1 50@2 20 Lambs $2 25@4

Sullivan Believes in Fitzsimmons.

BALTIMORE, Oct 9.—"What do I think of the Corbett Fitzsimmons muddle?" said John L Sullivan as he sat in his dressing room at Holliday Street theater. "Why, I believe that Fitzsimmons has a very fine chance of winning. He is only a trifle smaller than Corbett, and he has fought men at a time when he only weighed a few pounds less than Corbett weighs."

A Question of Religion.

BERLIN, Oct 9.—Owing to the probability of the crown of Wurtemburg passing to the Catholic branch of the family through the failure of male issue, a bill will be submitted to the diet arranging for the transfer in that case of the religious prerogatives of the crown to an ecclesiastical commission.

Showalter Now Leads.

NEW YORK, Oct 9.—All in opened the fifth game of the chess match in the presence of a large crowd at the Manhattan Chess club yesterday afternoon. After sixty six moves the game resulted in a win for Showalter The score now stands: Albin, 2, Showalter, 3.

To Increase Production.

READING, Pa., Oct 9.—Anticipating an improvement in trade the Reading Iron company has decided to build at once a large rolling mill, which will be equipped with the most modern machinery and give employment to a large number of hands.

Over Two Tons of Fish Killed.

READING, Pa., Oct 9.—Over two tons of fish were killed in the Tulpehocken creek and taken out dead, in consequence of the flow of sulphur water from a nearby industrial establishment.

A Church Thief Arrested.

LEBANON, Pa., Oct 9.—The police here arrested Thomas Cooper, a stranger, on the charge of robbing churches in Philadelphia. He confessed and will be taken to that city

A Desperado's Heavy Sentence.

EASTON, Pa., Oct. 9.—Lewis Rickord, alias Riedl, the German tramp and burglar, who attempted to kill Officer William Hewitt, of Pen Argyle, by shooting him in the head, pleaded guilty to this and numerous other crimes in court here, and was sentenced to twenty years in the Eastern penitentiary.

The New Bedford Strike Settled.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 9.—The strike in this city was practically settled at a conference between the mill treasurers and the spinners yesterday afternoon, when all the unions excepting the Weavers' union agreed to return to work Thursday morning at a 5 per cent reduction in wages

Ferdinand Ward Deprived of His Son.

WORCESTER, Mass., Oct. 9.—Ferdinand Ward, who abducted his son at Thompson, Conn., a few weeks ago, was yesterday adjudged in the Connecticut superior court an unfit person to care for the boy The uncle E D Green was appointed guardian

Crooked Bank Official Sentenced.

SPRINGFIELD Mo., Oct. 9.—Judge Phillips sentenced A B Crawford, the ex cashier of the wrecked American National bank, to five years in the Missouri penitentiary. This sentence was on the seventh count alone—fads century

A Despondent Miner's Suicide.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct 9.—Michael Polanthaw, a Hungarian miner, out of work and despondent, committed suicide at his home at Wanamie by shooting himself.

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An Ex-Consul Under Arrest.

VIENNA, Oct 9.—Dr. Polischek de Palmforst whose removal from his office of consul general at New York of Austria-Hungary was announced a few days ago, was arrested last evening charged with malversation while consul and also while Austro Hungarian commissioner to the Chicago Columbian exposition A loaded revolver was found in one of his pockets, and it is supposed that he intended to commit suicide

Three Killed by Explosion.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9.—Three men were killed by an explosion in the Illinois Steel works, and five injured The accidental explosion of a steam pipe, the fragments of which were scattered in every direction, caused the deaths The dead are William Miller, aged 30, single; A B Sparren single and John Holstrom

Blown to Shreds by Dynamite.

BUFFALO, Oct 9.—Through heedlessness Joseph Kosminski was blown to shreds by dynamite He was working on a sewer job, and punched the cartridge with a crowbar He went up with a shower of stones and came down with not a whole bone in his body He had a large family

NUGGETS OF NEWS

A hurricane of terrific force is raging on the Gulf of Mexico coast

The big Atlas distillery (anti-trust) started up at Peoria, Ills., this morning

Congressman Lewis Sperry was renominated by the Democrats of the First Connecticut district

Mrs. Lillie Langtry, the actress, will sail Oct 27 from Southampton for New York on board the American line steamer Paris

John A. Gegharty, a 14-year-old New Orleans boy, while boxing with his cousin, Ed Turner, about his own age, was struck over the heart and dropped dead

Massachusetts Democrats nominated ex-Congressman John E Russell for governor by acclamation The balance of the ticket is as published yesterday in these columns.

Throughout Holland last week there were sixteen new cases of cholera and eight deaths from the disease, of which number six new cases and one death were in Amsterdam.

For disobedience of orders at Evanston, Ills., resulting in a caisson explosion, Captains Voz and Grimes, of the regular army, are being tried by court martial at Fort Leavenworth, Kan

Governors Flower and Pattison were rendered a banquet by citizens of Binghamton N Y., last night Both spoke at the laying of the corner stone of the Commercial Travelers' Home today.

The Czar's Physical Condition.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Dispatches to The Telegraph from St Petersburg and Berlin declare that the reports of the czar's condition are exaggerated. They add that no idea is entertained of the establishment of the regency, and that there is every prospect that His majesty will be able to continue to conduct state business

Crusade of Baltimore Ministers.

BALTIMORE, Oct 9.—A somewhat similar crusade to that of Dr Parkhurst is soon to be started here by ministers, the Baptist ministers taking the initiative The first question to be taken up will be the car fender The Baptist ministers decided that all shall deliver an address or sermon on the subject next Sunday.

The Report Contradicted.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Oct 9.—In a riot among some negroes on an excursion train at Howers station two negroes were hurt, but not seriously One white man received small injuries There is nothing in the report about several being killed in a fight between whites and blacks

Narrow Escape at a Bridgeton Fire.

BRIDGETON N J., Oct 9.—A double house occupied by William Crawford and Mrs Elizabeth Pierce was burned to the ground at 3 o'clock in the morning Mrs Pierce and her four children barely escaped with their lives The fire was of incendiary origin

Terrible Catastrophe in Nicaragua.

GRENADA, Nicaragua Oct 9.—The military barracks have been blown up and a whole quarter of the city badly damaged The number of dead is estimated at 200 The number of wounded is much greater.

Fell Headlong Into the Flames.

HUNTINGTON, W Va., Oct 9.—While standing in front of a large fireplace at Rio Grande Miriam Walp was seized with a fit of apoplexy and fell headlong into the flames. He was burned to a crisp.

Cockran to Retire from Congress.

NEW YORK, Oct 9.—Congressman W. Bourke Cockran will not be a candidate for renomination He yesterday announced his determination to Mayor Gilroy, saying: "My private affairs have been sadly neglected for the past year, and I feel it incumbent upon me to decline a renomination Until election day, however, I shall have no other occupation than that of laboring with all the energy at my command for the election of David B. Hill." There has been no candidate decided upon to succeed Mr Cockran.

Thawed Giant Powder in the Stove.

IRONWOOD, Mich., Oct 9.—John Ravell, a farmer near here, together with his family of five, were blown up by an explosion of giant powder yesterday Ravell and a 5 year old son were killed outright, the bodies being mangled in a frightful manner Mrs. Ravell and a 6 year old daughter will undoubtedly die The others were not dangerously injured. Ravell was thawing out giant powder in the oven of a stove, preparing it for blasting stumps.

A Deputy Marshal Shot.

COUNCIL BLUFFS, Ia., Oct. 9.—Deputy United States Marshal Otto Ray was shot at Albia, after arresting George Johnson for boot legging. Johnson had boasted that any man who took him would be likely to get shot One of Johnson's pals did the shooting In the confusion that followed both the prisoner and the assailant escaped Ray's condition is serious

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A Cancer Removed—The Peach Crop—Accident.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Dr. J. S. Wolfe, assisted by Dr. Furgerson, of Beemerville, performed a difficult surgical operation on Mrs. Samuel Courtright, one day last week. The operation was the removal of a large cancer, which has been troubling Mrs. Courtright for some time. The operation was successfully performed and at present the patient is doing as well as can be expected.

—There is as yet but little interest in politics.

—Mr. W. D. Beemer and family, of Monroe, and Mr. Samuel Fisher and family, of Lafayette, N. J., were the guests of D. W. Beemer, last Thursday and Friday.

—The peach crop of Sussex county will be gathered, this week. The peaches have netted the growers a nice income against the hard times.

—Mr. J. B. Courtright met with an accident, last week, which might have been very serious. While riding a horse from the field it stumbled, threw him and fell on top of him. When picked up by his son, Philip, it was thought one of his legs was broken. He was taken to the house, where on examination it was found that the leg was only bruised. At present writing, though feeling very sore, he is able to get around.

HURTSBORO.

Social Hop—More Hunters Than Ducks—New House—Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—There will be a social hop at Dorrance Hall, Wednesday evening, the 10th. Good music and good order and all invited.

—The hunters on Bashas Kill are even more numerous than the ducks.

—W. T. Sherwood's new residence on the Johnson place, Pennsylvania avenue, is nearly completed by Jacob Helm and will add materially to the beauty of that locality.

—Frank Gilmore and family have removed from here to New York. Frank was, for a while, a resident of Middletown.

—Potatoes are a comparatively short crop this season.

COOKS FALLS.

Fine Walks—New Sunday School Superintendent—A Healthy Village—Personal Mention.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—A. D. Wormuth is laying some very fine stone walks around his residence.

—Rev. A. Haynes, of Rockland, preached a very eloquent sermon in the M. E. Church, Sunday night, September 30th.

—Our Sunday School has been reorganized since the departure of C. H. Moon, and W. D. Cook is now superintendent.

—Is there a little village in Sullivan or Delaware county that can boast of being as healthy a place as Cook's Falls? But one death has occurred here in over a year, and there has been no sickness to speak of.

—Miss May Sparling, who has been living with her aunt, Mrs. S. E. Wormuth, returned to her home at Callicoon Depot, a short time ago. She made for herself many friends in this place by her pleasant ways.

—Floyd Kitchen, of East Branch, visited his friend, P. H. Lawles, Tuesday.

—Julius Egglert is still living a hermit's life alone in the mountains

NEW HAMPTON.

An Average Yield of Corn—Church Sociable—Funeral of Mrs. Robertson—No Services at Denton Next Sunday.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—We find that the corn crop, which is now being husked, averages about the same yield to the acre as usual.

—The first of the series of sociables, to be given for the benefit of the Denton Church, will be held at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Redfield, on Friday evening, Oct. 12th. A cordial invitation is extended.

—New Hampton was well represented at the Middletown firemen's parade.

—The funeral of Mrs. Jane Robertson, which took place Thursday of last week, was very largely attended.

—There will be no services at the Denton Church, either morning or evening on Sunday, Oct. 14. The Sunday School will hold its session at the usual hour.

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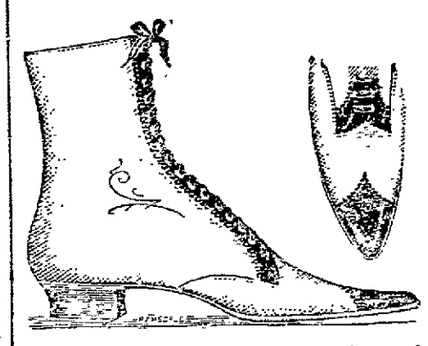

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1894.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

For Governor,
DAVID BENNETT HILL.
For Lieutenant-Governor,
DANIEL N. LOCKWOOD.
For Judge of the Court of Appeals,
CHARLES F. BROWN

CONGRESSIONAL CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the several towns and wards, comprising the Seventeenth Congressional District of the State of New York, composed of the counties of Rockland, Sullivan and Orange, will meet in their respective towns and wards, on Saturday, Oct 6th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, unless otherwise ordered by their respective town and ward committees, at the places of holding their last regular primaries, to choose delegates to which are respectively entitled, to represent them in the convention, to be held at the Assembly Rooms, Middletown Thursday, Oct. 11th, at 1 o'clock p. m., to nominate a candidate for Representative in Congress from said district, and to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

ABRAM A. DEMARLST, } Rockland
JAMES KEEGAN, } county
ISAAC V. POST, } Sullivan
SIDNEY WENZEL, } county
JAMES G. DUNPHY, }
GRANVILLE KANE, } Orange
C. MACARDELL, } county
W. H. CLARK, }
Congressional Committe

Dated Oct. 4th, 1894

SECOND ASSEMBLY DISTRICT CONVENTION.

The Democratic electors of the several towns and wards comprising the Second Assembly district of the county of Orange, are requested to meet at the place of holding their last respective town and ward meetings for the purpose of electing the delegates to which they are respectively entitled, on the 11th day of October, 1894, at 3 p. m., (unless otherwise ordered by their town or ward committee,) to represent them in the Assembly District Convention, to be held at the Assembly Rooms in Middletown on Monday, the 15th day of October, 1894, at 12 o'clock m., to nominate a candidate for Assembly for said district

E. DITEMAN, } Assembly
W. H. CRANE, } District
WM. POHLMAN } Committee

DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CONVENTION

The Democratic County Convention, to place in nomination candidates for county officers, and to transact such other business as may properly be brought before it, will be held at the Court House, in the village of Goshen, Saturday, Oct. 13th, at 12 o'clock noon. The electors of the several towns and wards will meet in their respective towns and wards at the places of holding their last primaries, on Thursday, Oct. 11th, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, unless otherwise ordered by their re-pective town and ward committees, to choose delegates to represent them in convention

By order Democratic County Committee.
W. H. CLARK, Chairman.

TOWN OF GREENVILLE

The Democrats of the town of Greenville are requested to meet at the hotel of S. Polhamus in said town Tuesday evening, Oct. 9th, at 7:30 o'clock, to choose delegates to represent them in the Congressional County and Assembly District Conventions

By order of the Town Committee

James Morrison, of the town of Greenville, announces himself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff.

In view of the course of prices for Sugar Trust certificates since the new tariff went into effect what becomes of the charge that under this tariff the Sugar Trust is better off than ever? Before the law was enacted the certificates brought 115; yesterday the price was about 81. In the heyday of McKinleyism they sold close upon 140. These figures tell their own story,—they give the lie to the talk about the Democratic Congress having sold out to this gigantic monopoly.

Ex-Secretary Whitney's letter to Major Hinckley ought to have the effect of bringing to their senses Democrats who are halting in their allegiance to their party, and making it plain to them that if for any reason they strike at the Democratic ticket in this State, they also strike at the national administration and the Democratic party in the nation. This is the President's own State, and its verdict, for or against Democracy, will be accepted as approval or disapproval of President Cleveland and his administration. There is no escape from the logic of the situation.

Mr. Whitney says that although in the past he has opposed Mr. Hill and has taken issue with the State organization, he now feels a deep interest in the success of the Democratic candidates, and that "there never has been a time when Democrats ought to stand together for the principles and perpetuity of their party as now." He points out that the adoption of the partisan apportionment devised by the Republican Constitutional Convention will mean Republican supremacy in State offices for twenty years, for under that apportionment Democrats cannot hope to control the Legislature. He tells those Democrats who fear that if Senator Hill is elected he will be nominated for President in 1896 that there is no reason to borrow trouble, that 1896 may be left to take care of itself—"1892 did, and 1896 will." Neither Gorman, Hill nor any one else will be able to secure two-thirds of the votes of the next National Convention, unless he stands clearly for the intellectual and moral issues of his party and has pre-eminent qualifications for the performance of his duty to both people and party. Individuals count for little in such a struggle and personal feelings should count for less. The result in this State, next month, is the most important between 1892 and and 1896, and any believer in Democratic principles who shall vote against the Democratic ticket will succeed only in dealing a blow at his own convictions.

The heavy registration in the Democratic cities of this State is regarded by the Democratic leaders as a most encouraging sign. The indications are that the rank and file of the Democratic party are alert and enthusiastic and eager for the fray and that the full vote of the party will be polled.

The New York *World* suggests that since Levi P. Morton accepted the Republican nomination for Governor he can no longer contemplate his high bred Guernseys with any degree of satisfaction. Every time he sees them he is sadly reminded that he is being milked much more effectually and systematically than they ever were.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

A Very Exciting Political Gathering—Sharp Fight Over the Nomination for Sheriff—An Attempted Combination Against Boss Rule.

The Republican County Convention, which was held in Goshen, today, was the most exciting political gathering that has been held in this county in years. Interest all centred in the nomination for Sheriff, for which there were over a dozen avowed candidates, while at least half a hundred other true and tried Republicans had lightning rods up in hopes that the shrievalty lightning might strike them.

Some of the candidates, realizing the hopelessness of fighting against the edict of the boss, pulled out, and the names of only eight candidates went before the convention: S. D. Boyce, Deerpark; J. E. Brazee, Middletown; Adam W. Beakes, Wallkill; Joshua Oldroyd, Mount Hope; Thomas Mabie, Crawford; George Wilkes, Woodbury; Asa Howell, Goshen; Selah E. Strong, Blooming Grove. The latter is Boss Odell's candidate.

The Middletown delegation met, this morning, and decided to support James E. Brazee. Major Sproat refused to be bound by the unit rule, and announced himself for Mr. Oldroyd, first, last and all the time.

An attempt at slate breaking was made before the convention, the scheme being to unite the delegates from towns in the Second Assembly District against the First District, in which Strong's strength laid. It was not a success. The candidates were not willing to submit to a test of strength in caucus and the imaginary line which separates the districts was not enough of a line to divide the convention.

For the other offices there was no strife. Mr. O. P. Howell having withdrawn as a candidate for County Judge there was no one to lead in the attempt to break the slate and no candidates in the field with which to smash it.

There was so much caucusing to be done that it was 12:30 o'clock, half an hour after the appointed hour, before the convention was called to order by Louis F. Goodsell, Chairman of the County Committee, who nominated for Chairman Victor A. Wilder, of Warwick, who made a characteristic speech,—Wilderish in the extreme, which whooped up the delegates in great style.

John E. Duryea, of Crawford, and Samuel B. Schoonmaker, of Newburgh, were elected secretaries.

On the re-assembling of the convention at 2 o'clock, S. E. Holly, of Warwick; Chas. R. Bull, of Blooming Grove, and Horace D. Thompson, of Wallkill, were elected tellers.

Hon. John J. Beattie, of Warwick, was placed in nomination for County Judge by Jesse Durland, of that town. The nomination was seconded by H. B. Fullerton, of Deerpark, and W. D. Mills, of Goshen, and was made by acclamation.

William G. Taggart, of Newburgh, was placed in nomination for County Clerk by Hon. John C. Adams, and was nominated by acclamation.

The informal ballot for Sheriff resulted as follows:

Beakes, 22; Brazee, 12; Boice, 26; Strong, 40; Wilkes, 13; Mabee, 2 Oldrod, 10; Dean, 3; Wilson, 1; Goodale, 1.

On the formal ballot Beakes received 101, Strong 40. The former was declared nominated.

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Locomotives for Brazil.

Twenty-eight car loads of locomotives for the Brazilian government, made at the Cook works, at Dunkirk, passed through this city at 3:40, this afternoon.

A New Bakery.

J. A. Lovely has built an oven at his residence on Lincoln street and will conduct a bakery. He has secured the services of a practical baker and will soon have a wagon on the street.

WESTTOWN.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

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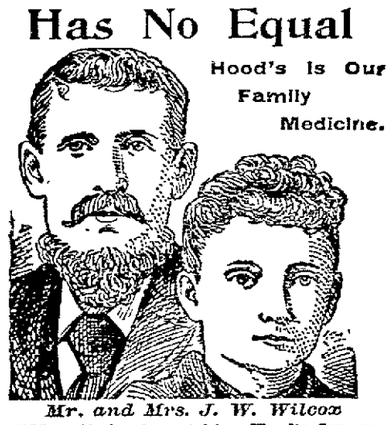

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BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9 —Threatening weather; rain, increasing northeastly winds; gales on coast; colder, Wednesday morning.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:

7 a. m., 50°; 12 m., 60°; 3 p. m., 60°.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Good horse wanted in exchange for a piano or organ.

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—A. T. Squier will have his millinery open Wednesday and Thursday.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Turn-Verein meets at Nearing Hall, to-night, at 7.30.

—Mrs. Robert Jordan, of Port Jervis, has plucked from a pear tree in her garden a twig on which are a ripe pear and several blossoms.

—There will be a temperance meeting at Nicholson's Hall, North End, to-night, at 7:30. Good speakers will be present. Vocal and instrumental music will be a feature.

—Don't forget the parish tea at the Assembly Rooms, this evening. Home made bread, delicious coffee and luscious chicken salad will be served. There will also be an entertainment consisting of vocal and instrumental music and recitations.

—Account of the re-union of the 143rd Regiment at Monticello the Erie will sell excursion tickets to Port Jervis, on Oct. 10th, for eighty-five cents for the round trip, tickets good to return on or before Oct. 11th

PERSONAL.

—Mrs. B. H. Burch, of Newburgh, is visiting in town.

—Mrs. George M. Conkling, of Mills avenue, and her three children, started for Woodbourne, Sullivan county, this morning, to visit her mother, who lives at that place.

—Rev. Dr. Gordon and family left, to day, for Findley Ohio, Mrs. Gordon's former home. The doctor will spend about two weeks at Findlay, but Mrs. Gordon and son will remain longer.

AN OLD LADY INJURED

Struck in the Face by a Falling Ladder and Badly Injured.

Mrs. Rose Nolan, of 315 North street, was badly injured about noon, to-day, by being struck by a ladder which fell upon her while passing the North End hotel, corner North street and Wisner avenue. Painters had been at work on the building and it is supposed that the wind blew the ladder over just as Mrs. Nolan was passing. She was struck across the face and fell backwards, her head striking the pavement with great force. Officer Walsh saw the fall and assisted Mrs. Nolan to her home, after which he summoned physicians who pronounced the injuries not serious. Mrs. Nolan is suffering severely from the shock, however.

A MURDERER LYNCHED.

BY UNITED PRESS.

IRVING, Ky., Oct. 9.—A mob broke into the jail, early this morning, and took Alexander Richardson, a white man, out and hanged him to the railroad bridge. Richardson was charged with the murder of Mrs. Wylie.

TIN PLATE WORKS STARTED UP

BY UNITED PRESS.

WOOD, Ind., Oct. 9.—The new mills of the American tin plate factory were started up, last night. There will be no reduction in wages.

IMPRISONED IN A BURNING MINE.

BY UNITED PRESS.

SHAMOKIN, Pa., Oct. 9 —The wood work in the shaft of the Luke Fidler mine took fire from a miner's lamp, last night, and the flames spread rapidly, cutting off the escape of several men. One dead body was found, this morning, and four others are known to be in the mine.

KILLED FOR REFUSING TO MARRY

BY UNITED PRESS.

SCRANTON, Oct. 9 —Mary Kerzie, a Hungarian girl, was shot and instantly killed, to-day, at Olyphant, by Frank Bezek, whom she refused to marry.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

BY UNITED PRESS.

—Earl Grey died at Northumberland, Eng., to-day.

—President Smith, of the New York Chamber of Commerce, says Col. Strong is still in the mayoraly fight.

—Several thousand delegates are attending the Annual Convention of the Y. P. S. C. E., at Albany, to-day.

—Neff Edwards was killed and Wickham Henderson fatally injured in a duel, at Springfield, as a result of Edwards forcing his attentions on Henderson's niece.

—J. O'Hara is supposed to have perished in a fire that destroyed McGill's stables, in New York, to-day.

—Governor Flower was one of the speakers at the laying of the corner stone of the commercial travelers' home at Binghamton, to-day.

THE INQUEST.

Investigating the Deaths of John and Joanna McGuire-Tierney.

CONFLICTING TESTIMONY

None of the Stories Told Agree in All Essentials.

SOBER BOB FLYNN'S EVIDENCE.

He Did Not See What Others Swear He Ought to Have Seen Early Sunday Morning—The Murdered Woman's Son Tells of the Happenings in the House of Death—A Saturday Night Spree—The Dorans, Mother and Son, Make Poor Witnesses—Evidently Keeping Something Back and Telling But Part of the Truth—The Inquest Adjourned.

The inquest in the case of John Tierney and Joanna McGuire-Tierney, who were shot to death at their home, "Fort Flynn," on Genung street, early, Sunday morning, was begun late, yesterday afternoon, at police headquarters by Coroner Decker and the following jury: A. E. McIntyre, Jas. A. Grier, John Carter, Henry Castle, E. Waizenegger, James Saunders.

Assistant District Attorney Powelson conducted the examination of the witnesses and the testimony was all taken by a stenographer.

The witnesses were gathered in Justice Powelson's office and were called in one at a time and given a separate examination, with the result that considerable discrepancy as to time and action was developed. This, however, may be accounted for by the fact that as all were more or less under the influence of liquor, on Saturday night, and Sunday morning, their memories as a consequence may have been somewhat cloudy.

DID NOT SEE WHAT OTHERS DID.

To a certain extent, however, the stories agree, but that told by Uncle Bobby Flynn, who, of all the persons who were alleged to have been present at the Miner's Rest on that fatal night, should be credited with having the clearest head, differs in many respects from those of the others. All of the witnesses agree that Bobby retired about 9.30 o'clock, Saturday night, sober. What he saw when he came down stairs shortly after 6 o'clock, Sunday morning, as told by himself and what he should have seen at that time, as related by Tommy McGuire and Ed. Doran, is where a part of the discrepancy lies.

Mrs. Doran also furnishes some conflicting testimony as to the movements and whereabouts of the party, but her story is not worthy of the consideration which should be given Bobby's, as from all accounts, except her own, she was very much intoxicated.

TOMMY M'GUIRE'S EVIDENCE

Tommy McGuire, son of the murdered woman, was the first witness sworn. He answered all the questions put to him by the Assistant District Attorney and members of the jury, without hesitancy and told his story in a straightforward manner. Substantially it was as follows: John Tierney and his mother, Mrs. McGuire, were quietly married about five weeks ago. He did not learn of it until about a week after the ceremony was performed, when, one afternoon, his mother told him of it. He and his mother had a few words and he left the house, going to Mrs. Kempke's, on South Railroad avenue, where he remained two weeks. He went home one afternoon and his mother persuaded him to remain. Never had a quarrel with Tierney and never heard him have any words with his mother.

WHAT HAPPENED SATURDAY NIGHT.

On Saturday night he returned from work at 5 o'clock. After supper he went to Mrs. Kempke's, where Ed. Pickney shaved him. In company with Ed. he went up town and bought a pair of socks. On the way home stopped at Hasbrouck's on Fulton street and ate chowder. Went back to Mrs. Kempke,s reaching there about 9 o'clock. Sent Charlie Kempke over to McGuire's for a quart of larger. Went home at 10 o'clock. His mother and Tierney were alone in the kitchen off the barroom. Flynn had gone to bed. About fifteen minutes afterwards Mrs. Doran and her son, Ed., came in. All were sober, but they had three or four glasses of beer, when Mrs. Doran began to get noisy and she and her son had some words about the latter's wife. He finally coaxed them to be quiet and went to the barn, hitched the horse to the buggy and drove Mrs. Doran to her son's home on Bennett street. Ed. cut across lots and met him and helped Mrs. Doran out of the wagon. He then drove home and found his mother alone. The time was about 12:30. Tierney had taken a light and gone up stairs about 10:30 or 11 o'clock. He and his mother sat alone for half an hour when Mrs. Doran and Ed. returned. This was 12:45 to 1 o'clock. Mrs. Doran said she had had a quarrel with Ed.'s wife and wanted to stay at McGuire's all night. Mrs. McGuire said she would find a place for her. They all sat in the barroom and had more beer. About 3 o'clock Michael Moran came in. They all went into kitchen and "Mike" sang some songs.

THE EVENTS OF SUNDAY MORNING.

About 4 o'clock, Tommy said, he fell asleep on the lounge and that all the party were present at the time. He remembers nothing more until morning, when he was awakened by hearing "Bobby" and Ed Doran talking. He got up and fed the horse. When he returned to the house it was about 7 o'clock, and he said to "Bobby": "It's strange ma isn't up yet." He went up to the bedroom usually occupied by his mother; saw Mrs. Doran asleep on the sofa in the sitting room. Mother's bed was not "mussed." Went to the front room; door partly open. Opened it and saw John and mother stretched out on the floor. Mother's head was bloody and a stream flowing from it. Saw blood on John's head. Ran up stairs and awakened his cousin, Lou Wittey; both came down. Witness went to barroom and told "Bobby;" also got whiskey and returned. He and Lou tried to put whiskey in her mouth. Lou said, "It's no use, she's dead."

Helped Lou put the body on the bed, Ran out and informed neighbors. Came back, found the pistol on the floor near the stove; picked it up, placed it on a chair. Some one said better put it back where it was, and did so. It was my revolver; got it when Joe Monahan died last winter. Used it once, last summer, practicing shooting at a tree; put in a closet in my room behind a trunk. Have not seen it since until I found it on the floor. Had five or six cartridges left, which I kept in a bureau drawer in kitchen. On Thursday or Friday last, took them out and put them in a cartridge box, and that box into a tin box, and put them in a drawer in the sitting room up stairs.

A rigid cross-examination failed to shake the story in any particular. He had never heard any angry words between his mother and stepfather, and knew of no reason why there should be any jealousy on the part of John Tierney.

MRS. DORAN ON THE STAND.

Mrs. Doran was the next witness. She testified to calling upon the Tierneys in the early part of the evening and to Tommy driving her home. From this point

HER STORY DIFFERS

with that of Tommy's, in that she swore that she and Ed were driven back to the house by Tommy. That Tierney and his wife were sitting up alone when they returned. That Tommy went to the barn and did not return to the house. She swore that she did not see him again that night, nor until the next morning, when the excitement began. She went up stairs at 4 o'clock and went to sleep on the sofa. She was sick.

UNCLE BOBBY FLYNN

was the next witness sworn. He told of his relation to the McGuire family and answered questions as to the property. He did not know that Tierney and Joanna were married until Sunday. Thought there was something between them, but asked no questions, as he considered it none of his business. Went to bed at 9:30. No one was at home but John and Mrs. Tierney. Came down stairs at 6:30. The only person he saw was Tommy, stretched asleep on the sofa, fully dressed. Began to build a fire and went into the barroom where he saw John Tierney behind the bar. Said, "good morning, John." He replied, "good morning, Bob." Tierney stood with his back toward witness, busy at the back bar. Went back into the kitchen to the stove and then saw John go up stairs. Could not say whether he had anything in his hands.

Eddie Doran then came in at the kitchen door. Said, "good morning, Bob," and asked for a pipe of tobacco. Heard something fall up stairs. Said to Ed., "What are those fellows up to, up stairs." Ed. went up to the sitting room thinking his mother had fallen from the sofa. Came down and said everything was all right. Tommy went out and fed the horse; was gone five or ten minutes. Here the witness could not swear that he saw Tommy go out, as he and Doran were in the barroom and only knew that Tommy went to the barn because he said he did. He also swore that Tommy was out of the room when the fall was heard. When asked if he could not be mistaken about that he said: "No, Tommy was not there when the noise was heard." No cross questioning could shake him on this point. Tommy did not go up stairs by the barroom stairs. Entrance to the second floor could be gained by the out door front and rear stairs. These doors were sometimes locked and sometimes not. The front door he knew was not locked that night, as he came out of it in the morning.

Ed. Doran sworn: Am a moulder, thirty-one years old, married; have three children. Did not know Tierney very well. Went to McGuire's about 7:40, Saturday evening. Mother was with me; went in the back door. Tierney, Mrs. Tierney, Pat Mulhearn and Louis Wittey were there. Mother and Mrs. Tierney went up stairs where they remained about twenty minutes. Louis went out at 8 o'clock, and Pat shortly afterwards. Tierney and witness were then joined by the women. Stayed for a couple of hours, then went to visit Mrs. Doyle. Came back at 11 o'clock. Mrs. Tierney and her husband were alone. Tommy came in shortly afterwards. All drank beer and Tommy hitched up and drove mother home. All three came back together. Tierney was there. Sat up till 2 or 3 o'clock, when mother got sick.

Here the witness got badly mixed and told two or three different stories of the events which transpired between that time and the time when Uncle Bob came down stairs.

He swore that he and Mrs. Tierney had taken his mother up stairs and that the latter was sick while lying on the lounge. He also swore that he was asleep on the sofa with his head between his knees and Tommy lying beside him, when Uncle Bob came down and woke him up. Did not see Tierney. Did not see Tommy go out to the barn, but saw him there later on when I was coming from the out-house. He was cleaning the horse. I then went into the house and asked Bob for a pipe of tobacco. Regarding his visit up stairs he said first that Tommy was asleep when he went up and afterwards that Tommy was at the barn. He was a most unsatisfactory witness and very little credence can be placed upon his testimony.

Doran was the last witness examined and the inquest was adjourned until Wednesday, at 3:30 o'clock, p. m.

It cannot be said that anything new or startling was developed by yesterday's examination. The fact that all acknowledged they had been drinking and the fact that all were more or less under the influence of liquor on Sunday morning when the tragedy was discovered, tends to add but little weight to any conflicting testimoney.

Tommy swore he was in the house fifteen minutes before the Doran's came back the second time and that he remained there all night, falling to sleep on the lounge while all the party were present. Both Ed. and Mrs. Doran swore that they came came back with Tommy in the wagon, and Mrs. Doran swears that Tommy went out to the barn to put the horse away and did not return.

Doran swears he was asleep with Tommy on the sofa when Uncle Bob came down, and the latter, who ought certainly to have been the most sober one of the party, swears that Tommy was there alone and that Doran came in after he, Bob had seen and spoken to John Tierney.

If Mrs. Doran's story is true, where did Tommy spend the night before he was found by Uncle Bob? If Bob's story is true, where was Doran all night?

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Chicago Gas	73⅜	72⅜	73⅛
D. L. & W.	—	—	—
Dis. & Cat. F.	9⅜	9¼	9⅜
Erie	14⅜	14⅛	14⅛
General Electric	38⅜	37⅛	37⅜
L. & N.	63⅞	62⅜	63⅛
L. S.	136¼	136¼	136¼
M. P.	—	—	—
N. Y. & N. E.	30½	30⅜	30⅝
N. Y. C.	99⅜	99⅜	99⅜
N. W.	103⅝	103	103⅛
N. P. Pfd.	18⅝	17⅞	18⅛
O. & W.	16⅛	16⅛	16⅜
Manhattan.	114⅜	113⅛	114
R. T.	18¼	17⅝	18
P. & R.	19	18⅜	18⅝
R. I.	59⅞	58⅞	59⅛
C. M. & St. P.	61⅜	60⅜	61⅛
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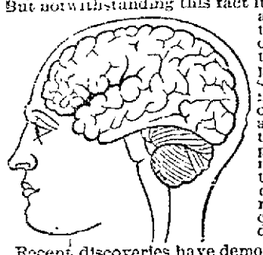

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Notice is hereby given that the Inspectors of Election, acting as Boards of Registry, will meet at the following polling places, in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on September 29th, October 6th, 13th and 20th, and November 3d, 1894, at nine o'clock in the morning, and continue in session, with not more than two intermissions, of one hour each, until nine o'clock in the evening to wit:

FIRST WARD.

FIRST DISTRICT—Polling place at McQuoid Engine house, on East Main street.

SECOND DISTRICT—Polling place at the barn of Henry Morey, corner of Wickham avenue and Cottage street.

THIRD DISTRICT—Polling place at Ontario Hose Company's house, North street.

SECOND WARD.

FIRST DISTRICT—Polling place at Phœnix Engine house, John street.

SECOND DISTRICT—Polling place at vacant store, 238 North street.

THIRD DISTRICT—Polling place at Wallkill Engine House, Wallkill avenue.

THIRD WARD.

FIRST DISTRICT—Polling place at Frank Wilson's livery and exchange stables, 66 West Main street.

SECOND DISTRICT—Polling place at I. B. A. Taylor & Co.'s grocery store, 80 and 82 West Main street.

FOURTH WARD.

FIRST DISTRICT—Polling place at 46 East Main street.

SECOND DISTRICT—Polling place at Bryant's carriage factory, 17 Academy avenue.

THIRD DISTRICT—Polling place at Titus's livery stable, Sprague avenue.

For Common Council.

F. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk.
Middletown, N. Y., Sept. 25th, '94. Tu&fritd

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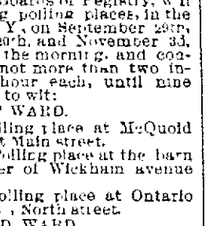

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COLD IN HEAD

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Ann Conroy, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the administrator of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at his place of residence, in the said city of Middletown, on or before the 28th day of December next.

WILLIAM BERKE, Administrator.
GEO. H. DECKER, Attorney for Administrator. dTu6mDe25

IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Charles S. Puff, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, the executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, at the office of Geo. H. Decker, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 2d day of November next.

CHARLES V. PUFF,
SAMUEL N. PUFF, } Executors.
Dated April 2d, 1894. dTu6mOc30

HOW HE RODE FREE.

HE BEAT AN EASTERN RAILWAY OUT OF $20.

Conductors Were Deceived by Him For More Than a Year—A Simple Scheme Which Required Only Nerve and Self Control—Tricks of Conductors.

There is a well settled belief on the part of most people that the conductors on the steam railroads have an intuitive knowledge of the persons who have not paid their fares, and that, while they may occasionally pass a man without taking up his ticket, so phenomenal is the memory of the average conductor and so well does he remember faces that it is almost impossible to deceive him. While this may sometimes be true, as a rule it is the passenger himself who gives the cue for the conductor's action. The man who deliberately attempts to evade the payment of a fare in nine cases out of ten will by his looks and action say to the conductor, "I have not paid my fare, and I don't intend to." Some conductors with short memories and distrust of their abilities for detecting the frauds will continuously call out the word "tickets" as they pass through the cars, where many changes are taking place between stations, at the same time extending their hand toward each seat. The man who has not paid feels that this is a direct appeal made to himself and responds accordingly. But if this ruse does not succeed in making the would be "beat" deliver up his ticket it so far changes his face and demeanor that he often shows conscious guilt, and his ticket is then peremptorily demanded.

It sometimes happens, however, that even all the tricks and artifices of the conductor will fail, and a man will succeed daily in evading payment of his fare, not merely for weeks, but for months. A remarkable case of this kind was recently observed on the Fitchburg railroad. For more than a year a man employed in one of the large wholesale houses in this city has been taking a train from one of the suburban stations, and acquaintances who rode on the same car were surprised to see that he never paid fare.

At first it was thought that he might have a pass, which the conductor, knowing him well, did not require him to show. But it was learned that he always paid his fare when coming from Boston, when the conductor is sure to demand a fare from every person on the train. Then came the suggestion that he had an understanding with the conductor of the train on which he rode when going to Boston. But it was found that when the conductor was changed to another train and a stranger took his place he also failed to collect fare from the man.

So for weeks the man was watched with much curiosity by the passengers who knew of his success and were curious to see how long it would continue. They saw that he invariably got on the train on the left hand side, so that he could not be observed by the conductor, who stood on the station platform. As soon as he entered the car he took one of the many unoccupied seats next to the window and lost no time in becoming deeply absorbed in the contents of a morning paper. When the conductor came through the train to collect fares from the passengers who got in at this station, this man, instead of ignoring his presence, as most men similarly situated would have done, gave a rapid glance from his paper, looking the official squarely in the eye, and resumed his reading with just the suggestion of impatience at the interruption. The reproof conveyed in that glance, carrying with it a positive assurance that there was no disposition to evade anything, was so emphatic and pronounced that it left no doubt in the mind of the conductor, if he had any before, that the passenger had got on the train at another station and had paid his fare to Boston. There was something about the man's appearance as well as his actions that assisted in the keeping up of this deception. He bore all the evidence of a substantial, honest business man of middle age, and far above evading payment of a 5 cent fare. But it was singular that day after day a sharp and discriminating conductor should be so easily deceived, and apparently against his own convictions, for on several occasions he reached for a fare, but was checked in his advances by that reproachful look with which he was confronted.

But the end came at last, on that train at least. Either the conductor's suspicions were so completely aroused that he determined to satisfy himself whether he was being imposed upon, or else some one had called his attention to the deceit practiced, for one morning he reached out his hand for the fare, but received only the swift and impatient glance. This did not satisfy him, for when the man returned to the perusal of his paper he was tapped on the shoulder and his fare demanded in no uncertain terms. A commutation ticket was reluctantly produced, punched without comment and returned to the pocket whence it was taken. The next morning the passengers watched curiously for the next move in the game, but the man had evidently given up the contest on that train, for he has not been seen on it since. As he was known to have evaded paying fare on that train daily for more than a year, it was roughly estimated that the Fitchburg Railroad company was thus defrauded out of not less than $20.—Boston Transcript.

I Snuff, You Sneeze.

"What on earth do you want money to go to the show for?" exclaimed Mr. Hazard to his wife.

"I don't see why I mightn't go and enjoy myself once in awhile, same as you do."

"Same as I do? Good lands, woman! Every time I go to a show, don't I come back and tell you about everything I see? What more do you want?"—Indianapolis Journal.

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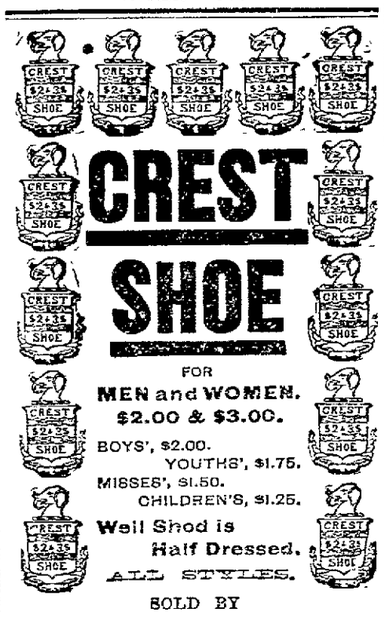

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PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that THURSDAY, OCT. 18TH, 1894, at 8 o'clock p. m., and the Chambers of the Common Council, on Foundry street, Middletown, N. Y., be and are hereby designated as the time and place, when and where the application of the Middletown-Goshen Traction Co. to the Common Council of the city of Middletown, N. Y., will first be considered for consent and permission of said Common Council for the construction, maintenance, operation and extension by the said petitioner of a street surface railroad, in the manner and form as prescribed by law, upon and over the surface of the following streets, to wit:—Beginning at the intersection of West Main street and Bonnell street; thence through, along and upon Bonnell street to Chestnut treet, or to the extension thereof, as now laid out or to be laid out, connecting the lines of the said company on West Main street with the lines of the said company, upon the said extension of Chestnut street.

By order of the Common Council.
IRA DORRANCE, President.
F. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk.
Dated Sept. 24th, 1894. 40d14t

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There Was a Rope Round the Gamma Beta Man's Neck, and He Was About to Be Strung Up When His College Society Emblem Was Seen by One Who Knew It.

The sixtieth annual dinner of Gamma Beta was certainly a great success. At the long table sat 150 guests, of all ages and from all parts of the land. The feast was ended when the captain arose from his place near the head of the board. Straight of figure and alert of eye, he bore his 60 years lightly.

"Boys," says the captain, "I haven't been to a Gamma Beta dinner for 40 years. The last time I went I was a boy in college. As I look around me I am glad I am not the oldest alumnus here, for I feel as young as any freshman. But I came here tonight to tell you a story, and if you have patience to hear me I may as well begin. Remember, we old ones are garrulous at times and stop me when you have had enough."

His audience was all attention, and the captain lighted a fresh cigar, blew out a puff of smoke and began.

"I was the first northern man to plant cotton in Arkansas after the war. The state had declared for the Union early in 1864, but there was plenty of lawless secessionism about, and a northerner's life and property were none too safe. Before I had been long at my planting I got a notice from some of my secessionist friends that I must stop operations or leave the district if I had any regard for my life—in short, they gave me to understand that if they caught me they would string me up to the nearest tree as sure as my name was Jim Roberts. Now, I didn't intend to stop planting, and I didn't intend to be hanged, so I went ahead and told them they could hang me—if they could catch me.

"About a month after that I was riding across country one afternoon to get a little business done in the nearest town. As I entered a lonely piece of road a dozen men jumped out of the woods, pointed their guns at my head and ordered me to halt and dismount. I saw I could do nothing but surrender at discretion, so I came down from my horse and was marched off in silence. In a few minutes we turned into a lane that led deeper into the woods and kept on until we came to a little clearing. One of my friends brought out a rope, slung one end of it over the limb of a convenient tree and had the other end slipknotted around my neck in a jiffy.

"Probably none of you has ever felt a hangman's rope around his neck, so you can't appreciate the state of my feelings at that time. I'll tell you, I felt pretty serious and thought my lease of life had run out for certain. But a man clings to life at such times, and all at once I had a happy thought. I remembered that I had a package of excellent cigars in my pocket, and I drew it out.

"'Gentlemen,' I said, with as much coolness as I could muster, 'I know that I have but a few minutes more to live. I want to ask one favor. Give me time to smoke out a cigar before you swing me into eternity. Will you join me? You will find them most excellent.'

"My captors grimly assented, and we lighted our 'weeds' together. No one said a word. Well, boys, I made that cigar hold out, you may depend. But it would burn. Little by little the ash began to get longer and drop off until there was just so much left." And the captain held up his smoking stump, measuring its small remainder critically with his finger.

"'Well,' thought I to myself, 'here goes for a few more puffs anyway,' and I was just getting the very last of them when we heard a horse coming through the trees. A fine looking fellow rode up, who seemed to be a sort of commander of the company. 'Hello, boys!' he called out, 'who've you got here?' 'We've got Roberts, and we're going to hang him,' said they. 'All right,' said the officer and came over to have a look at me.

"Now, I had on my watch chain this little badge here," and the captain touched a jeweled monogram of gold that hung to his breast. "I have always worn it there and expect to as long as I live. My coat was open, and as the Confederate came up his eye caught the badge. Well, sirs, he turned all sorts of colors, and leaning close to my ear whispered the name of our fraternity, at the same time grasping my hand with the good old Gamma grip, given with the strength of a giant. Then he turned to his men. 'Boys,' said he, 'this man is my friend. You must let him go.' And in an instant he took the rope from my neck, led up my horse, pulled a pair of pistols from his pocket and handed one to me. 'Now, brother,' said he, 'defend yourself and get away as best you can!' I lost no time in following his advice and made my escape. And here I am today, and that is all."

There was a storm of applause when the captain had finished and had taken his seat.

"But, captain," cried more than one, "you'll have to finish the story. Who was the man that got you free, and did you ever see him again?"

The captain arose again, smiling. "Who was he? Well, he belonged to one of our southern chapters. And did I ever see him again? Yes, I did."

The captain laid his hand on the shoulder of an elderly man in the seat next to him. "Yes, I can see him this minute. Ned, tell the boys your side of the story!"—New York Tribune.

A Different Opinion.

Contributor—I have here an article on "What Poets Have Said of the Moon."

Editor—That would interest no one, but if you can give me an authentic account of what the moon has said about the poets during the past few thousands of years I would willingly pay you double rates for it.—Pick Me Up.

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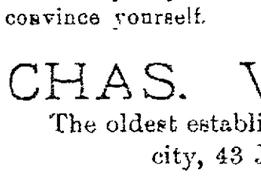

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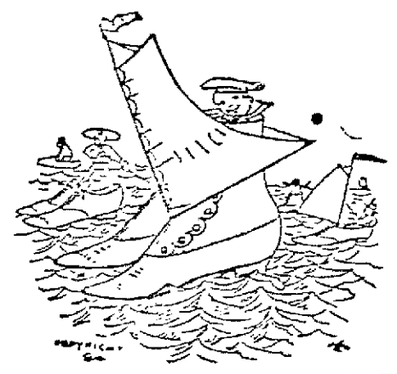

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Worst of All.

"A prophet is not without honor save in his own country," is one of the old sayings that are never out of date.

"You have been very naughty, Nelly," said a writer of children's stories to her little daughter one day, "and I shall have to punish you."

"What are you going to do to me, mamma?" inquired the tearful Nelly. "Shall you put me to bed now in the middle of the day?"

"No," replied her mother.

"Well, I don't think anything else would be so bad," said the child, with renewed cheerfulness, "unless— Oh, mamma!" she wailed as a sudden thought struck her. "I haven't got to sit still and hear you read one of the stories you've written, have I?"—Youth's Companion.

Educational Item.

Professor—Does dat queshun bodder you, Melchisedek?

Melchisedek—Not in de leas'. Hit's de answer what bodders me.—Texas Siftings.

Expecting Too Much.

Mrs. Lynn Linton has taken to preaching the gospel of pessimism, and here is her latest summing up the conditions of life:

"It is always the same thing. We expect too much. We expect gratitude from all when it is the rarest quality from any. Few people in the world know the true feeling of gratitude, and only those of a higher morality than falls to the lot of most. Pleasure, a scantling of personal affection for the time being, relief because of the lift over the stile—these, yes, but gratitude in the sense of an obligation to return by sacrifice what has been given by sacrifice—not one in a million has the faintest conception of this! All through the litany of life we ought to pray against the pain accompanying too great expectations. We expect from fame too much personal gratification: from work too much fame: from money too much happiness: from friends too much stability: from those in whom we believe too many perfections, from those we help too much gratitude: from those we love too much love in return. If we would find true peace, we should expect nothing at all. Then what we got would be of the nature of an unexpected find and an unsought for treasure."

And women who have lived with experience accumulating behind them cannot gainsay Mrs. Linton, although they have kept closed lips through all their painful awakening.

Unavoidably Prevented.

Captain Bliss was, like all seamen, a strict disciplinarian, and his crew respected him beyond measure. Not one of them would have dreamed of interpreting a command otherwise than according to the strict letter of the law. Things must be done "shipshape" under his rule.

One day while the ship was in a certain small port the captain gave a dinner to some town acquaintances, and as the resources of the ship were not great some of the sailors were deputed to wait on the table to re-enforce the insufficient number of stewards.

As these men were not used to such work each one was told exactly what service would fall to his share.

The hour came, and the dinner went merrily on. Presently, however, one of the ladies wanted a piece of bread. There was none very near her, and the finely disciplined stewards seemed to be quite oblivious to her need. She turned her head and spoke very softly to the man at her elbow.

"Bread, please," she said.

He looked regretfully at the bread and then at her. It was evident that he would fain have helped her if it had been in his power. He saluted in fine naval style.

"Can't do it, ma'am," said he. "I'm told off for 'taters."—Youth's Companion.

Why He Moved.

Kiddem—Sellers has moved out of the apartments over his store.

Koddem—That's queer! Any particular reason?

Kiddem—Yes; he was afraid the firms from whom he buys goods would not like the idea of his living above his income.—Buffalo Courier.

Without Character.

"Going to the Browns' fancy ball tomorrow?"

"Yep."

"What character are you going to take?"

"Just going as myself."

"Oh, no character at all, eh?"—Indianapolis Journal.

No Kick Needed.

"Why don't you get a boy to keep your desk in order?" inquired the caller. "It looks awfully littered up."

"I keep it this way," said the man at the desk, "to show that I'm always busy."

"But why—oh, I see! Good day!"—Chicago Tribune.

In Chicago.

"Wasn't that a friend of yours you just now spoke to?"

Mrs. Lakeview—Yes.

"Why didn't you introduce me?"

Mrs. Lakeview—I haven't called upon her for a week, and I didn't know what her name might be.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Consoling.

Artist's Friend (pointing to sketch)—I say, Harry, where did you get that?

Harry—Why, I got that out of my head.

Friend—Well, it's a lucky thing for your head that you got it out.—Exchange.

Her Reason For Giving Notice.

Mistress—And, pray, why do you want to leave us, Anna?

Cook—The doctor has ordered my grenadier a more generous diet!—Baseler Nachrichten.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

Office of the Secretary of State,

ALBANY, AUGUST 4, 1894.

Pursuant to the provisions of section seven chapter six hundred and eighty, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution of the state of New York will be submitted to the people of the said State, for the purpose of voting thereon at the next general election in this State, to be held on the sixth day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-four.

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing amendment to article six of the Constitution of this State in relation to County Judges and Court of Sessions in the county of Kings.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:

Whereas, At the last session of the Legislature, the following amendment was proposed in the Senate and Assembly, viz:

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That article six of the Constitution of this State be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"§ 32. There shall be in the county of Kings two county judges, each of whose term of office shall be six years. The county judge in office at the adoption of this amendment shall hold office until the expiration of the term for which he was elected. The additional county judge shall be elected at the general election held next after the adoption of this amendment, and his term of office shall begin on the first day of January thereafter. When the official term of any county judge of said county will expire by the efflux on of time or the disability of age, the successor of such judge shall be chosen at the preceding general election. Vacancies otherwise occuring in said offices shall be filled in the same manner as vacancies in the Supreme Court. The salary of said county judge shall be as now established by law for county judge in said county. Their powers and jurisdiction shall be co-ordinate and co-equal. One or more parts of the county court may be held in said county. The court of sessions in the county of Kings is continued with the powers and jurisdiction it now posses-es, and with such additional powers and jurisdiction as may be conferred by the Legislature; it must be held by a county judge of the county, and may hold one or more parts."

And whereas, The said proposed amendment was agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses of the said Legislature, entered on the journals with the yeas and nays taken thereon, and referred to the Legislature to be chosen at the then next general election of senators.

And, whereas, Such election has taken place and said proposed amendment was duly published for three months previous to the time of making such choice, in pursuance of the provisions of article thirteen of the Constitution; therefore,

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the Assembly do agree to the proposed amendment.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN SENATE, April 26, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the senators elected voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Senate,
WILLIAM F SHEEHAN, President.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN ASSEMBLY, April 17, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the members elected voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Assembly,
GEORGE R. MALBY, Speaker.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. } ss:

I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution, proposing amendment to article six of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office, and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof. (Published pursuant to chapter six hundred and eighty, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, in two public newspapers in each county, in said State, representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election, and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county, as shown by the last preceding State enumeration.)

Given under my hand and the seal of office of the Secretary of State, at the [L. S.] City of Albany, this fourth day of August, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-four.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

The following are the forms of ballots to be used in voting thereon:

FOR

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to county judges and court of sessions in the county of Kings.

AGAINST

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to county judges and court of sessions in the county of Kings.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

STATE OF NEW YORK,

Office of the Secretary of State,

ALBANY, AUGUST 4, 1894.

Pursuant to the provisions of section seven, chapter six hundred and eighty, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, notice is hereby given that the following proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution of the State of New York will be submitted to the people of the said State, for the purpose of voting thereon at the next general election in this State, to be held on the sixth day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-four:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION.

Proposing amendment to article six of the Constitution, relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the sixth article of the Constitution be amended by adding thereto the following section:

"§ 30. The Legislature, at the first session thereof after the adoption of this amendment, shall provide for the election at the general election next after the adoption of this amendment, by the electors of the first judicial district, of not more than two justices of the Supreme Court in addition to the justices of that court now in office in said judicial district; by the electors of the second judicial district, of not more than two justices of the Supreme Court in addition to the justices of that court now in office in said judicial district. The justices so elected in the first and second judicial districts, respectively, shall be invested with their offices on the first Monday of January next after their election."

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN SENATE, April 26, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the Senators elected voting in favor thereof, three fifths being present.

By order of the Senate,
WILLIAM F. SHEEHAN, President.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
IN ASSEMBLY, April 17, 1894.

This bill was read the third time and passed, a majority of all the members elected to the Assembly voting in favor thereof, three-fifths being present.

By order of the Assembly,
GEORGE R. MALBY, Speaker.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE. } ss:

I have compared the preceding copy of concurrent resolution, proposing an amendment to article six of the Constitution with the original concurrent resolution on file in this office, and I do hereby certify that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and of the whole thereof. (Published pursuant to chapter six hundred and eighty, Laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-two, in two public newspapers in each county, in said State, representing respectively the two political parties polling the highest number of votes at the last general election, and in one additional newspaper in each county for every one hundred thousand people in such county, as shown by the last preceding State enumeration.)

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JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

The following are the forms of ballots to be used in voting thereon:

FOR

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

AGAINST

the proposed amendment to article six of the Constitution relating to the election of additional justices of the Supreme Court.

JOHN PALMER, Secretary of State.

Chichester's English Diamond Brand.

PENNYROYAL PILLS

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SAFE, always reliable. LADIES, ask Druggist for *Chichester's English Diamond Brand* in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Refuse unprincipled imitations and substitutions. At Druggists, or send 4c. in stamps for particulars, testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Name Paper. Chichester Chemical Co., Madison Square Philadelphia, Pa.

Solid trains between New York and Chicago, via Chautauqua Lake or Niagara Falls. Pullman cars between New York and Rochester, Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Chautauqua Lake, Cleveland, Cincinnati and Chicago.

TIME TABLE.

Adopted June 17th, 1894.

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THE WHEELMEN'S MEET.

The Entries for the Second Race Meet of the Middletown Association, To-morrow.

The second race meet of the Middletown Wheelmen will take place, to-morrow, beginning at 2:30 p. m. The track is in fine condition and if the weather proves favorable, it ought to be a grand success. The entries, which are published below, show that the races will be of a higher class than usual in towns the size of Middletown.

The officials who will have charge of the races are as follows:

Referee—J. A. Ogden, of Warwick.
Judges—T. A Weller, Dr. F. M. Barnes, A. L. Decker, J. C. Degnan.
Timers—E E. Wood, B. B. Williams, C. G. Baldwin, C. E. Crawford.
Starter—Geo. M. Millspaugh.
Clerks of Course—Chas. Higham, W. B. Ketcham.
Scorers—Fred. C. Royce, W. N. Knapp, Ira Moore.
Committee of Arrangements—G. M. Millspaugh, Homer Ritter, Chas. Higham, E. Emerson, R. VanScIver, W. B. Ketcham, C. L. Swezy, W. L. Benedict, H. A. Smith, Ira Moore, Marshall Walthall.

The following are the entries:

ONE MILE NOVICE.

Silver medal, $6; bicycle shoes, $3.50.

Elmer J. Emerson, B. Eugene Mullen, Robt. H. Tennant, Homer B. Ritter, Clarence Hulse, Middletown.

¾ MILE ORANGE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Gold medal, $14; silver medal, $6; Cyclone pump, $2.50.

Harry A. Smith, Chas. L. Swezy, William A. Smith, B. E Mullen, Middletown; J. F. Luckey, F D. Brown, Port Jervis.

½ MILE OPEN.

Gold watch, $25; field glass, $15; cyclometer, $5.

Rudolph Clark, Howard P. Mosher, Storm King; Wm. A. Ladue, Cold Spring; Frank Edmund, Matteawan; Frank E. Doup, H. T. Brown, Chas. T. Earl, Brooklyn; Ray Dawson, Boonton, N J; G. Fred Royce, Passaic, N. J.; W. L. Darmer, Jersey City; E. L. Blauvelt, Chas. H Coffin, J. M Baldwin, Newark, N J; H. W. Tuthill, Newburgh; W. S. Slavin, Suffern; Geo. B. Cobb, Jr. Geo. C Smith, New York; Fred W Fisher, Syracuse; Fred P Elliott, Albany; R Murray J Van Benschoten, Poughkeepsie.

½ MILE OPEN TO ORANGE CO. RIDERS.

Scarf pin, $12; cuff buttons, $6; bicycle lamp, $3.50.

H. A. Smith, Chas. L. Swezy, Wm. A. Smith, Homer B. Ritter, Walter S Weeks, B. E. Mullen Middletown; J. T. Luckey, F. D. Brown, Port Jervis; H. W. Tuthill, Newburgh.

ONE MILE MIDDLETOWN WHEELMEN CHAMPIONSHIP.

Gold ring, $10; bicycle lamp, $4 50.

Harry A. Smith, Elmer I. Emerson, Chas. L. Swezy, Homer B Ritter, Walter S. Weeks, Middletown; F. D. Brown, Port Jervis

ONE MILE OPEN.

Diamond, $50; gold watch, $25; gold chain, $6.

Clarence Clark, Howard P. Mosher. Storm King; Wm. A. Ladue, Cold Spring; Frank Edmund, Matteawan; F. F Doup, H. G. Brown, Chas T Earl, F. F Goodman, Brooklyn; Ray Lawson, Boonton, N J. G. Fred Royce, Passaic, N. J.; W. L Darmer, Jersey City; E L Blauvelt, Chas. H Coffin, J. M Baldwin, Newark, N J.; H. W. Tuthill, Newburgh; W. S Slavin, Suffern; Geo B. Cobb, Jr. Geo. C Smith, New York; Fred W Fisher, Syracuse; Fred P Elliott, Albany; R Murray J Van Benschoten, Poughkeepsie.

ONE MILE ORANGE COUNTY HANDICAP.

Pearl opera glass, $10; umbrella, $5; sweater, $1.

Harry A. Smith, Elmer I Emerson, Chas. L. Swezy, B. Eugene Mullen, Wm A. Smith, Robt H. Tennant, Homer B. Ritter, Walter S. Weeks Middletown, J. T. Luckey, Port Jervis; H W. Tuthill, Newburgh

TWO MILE HANDICAP.

Diamond, $35; watch, $20; gold headed cane.

Chas. L. Swezy, B Eugene Mullen, Wm A. Smith, Middletown, Clarence Clark, Howard P Mosher, Storm King, Wm. A Ladue, Cold Spring; Frank Edmund, Matteawan; F. F. Doup, H G Brown, Chas. T Earl, F F Goodman, Brooklyn; Ray Dawson, Boonton N J., G Fred Royce, Passaic, N. J.; W. L. Darmer, Jersey City; E. L. Blauvelt, Chas. H. Coffin, J. M Baldwin, Newark; W S Slavin, Suffern, Geo B. Cobb, Jr., Geo C Smith, New York; Fred W. Fisher Syracuse, R. Murray, J Van Benschoten, Poughkeepsie Fred P. Elliott, Albany

JOHNSON'S FUTURE MADE SURE.

What the New York Condensed Milk Company Has Done and Is Doing for That Village.

Seven buildings, for residences and for business uses, have been of late erected in Johnson through the impulse imparted to the place by its becoming the site of one of the works of the New York Condensed Milk Company. This is but the first step in the direction of new growth, as it is as certain as anything can be that Johnson is to become, in the not remote future, a populous centre. The site is geographically fortunate; the surrounding country is most fertile and the section is one of the most healthful in the county. It has railroad facilities at its door, and a bountiful supply of water in Rutgers Kill, which courses through it. All that was needed to push the place forward was such a starter as it has in the great corporation which has come to it.

Route Signs on the Electric Cars.

Signs indicating the routes on which the electric cars run are now displayed on some of the cars and as fast as possible they will be placed on all the cars. They will prove a great convenience to residents of the city, many of whom did not know how to distinguish between the cars of the different lines.

Nothing Strange.

Intelligent people, who realize the important part the blood holds in keeping the body in a normal condition, find nothing strange in the number of diseases Hood's Sarsaparilla is able to cure. So many troubles result from impure blood. Hood's Sarsaparilla vitalizes the blood.

Hood's Pills are the best after-dinner pills, assist digestion, prevent constipation.

OBITUARY.

Peter J. Brown.

Peter J. Brown, a well known and highly respected citizen of Vernon, N. J., died there, Saturday, aged seventy-five years. The cause of death was paralysis, with which he was stricken in the latter part of July. Deceased was a brother of the late John J. Brown, President of the First National Bank of Paterson.

It is a singular coincidence that three brothers were stricken with paralysis at almost the same time, and that the only other member of the family, Maj. James Brown, of Washington, should have been prostrated with the same disease a few days later, while on his way to Paterson to attend his brother's funeral.

Theron Gillespie.

Mr. Theron Gillespie died at his home near Thompson Ridge, at 10 o'clock, last night, of lung disease, from which he has suffered for the past three years. He was thirty years old.

Mr. Gillespie has been able to be about nearly all the time during his illness, and was out driving yesterday. At 3 p. m. he was seized with a hemorrhage and died at the hour named.

Deceased was a son of the late Stansbury Gillespie. He is survived by his mother, two brothers and one sister: Robt. C. Gillespie, of this city, and Jonathan and Esther N., at home.

The funeral will take place, on Thursday—from the house at 1 p. m. and at the Hopewell Church at 1:30 o'clock.

THE ORGAN CONCERT.

A Fine Musical Entertainment.

The organ concert given by Mr. W. J. Stevens at the First Congregational Church, last evening, was a fine musical entertainment and was liberally patronized.

Mr. Stevens as usual manipulated the organ as only he can do it.

Mr. Stevens was ably assisted by Misses Bertha Morgans and Miss Florence Sliter.

Miss Morgans, as many of readers know, is the fortunate possessor of a pure soprano voice of great sweetness and power, and she is constantly improving in her singing. She was down on the programme for three numbers but was compelled to respond to encores.

Miss Sliter accompanied Miss Morgans on the violin and acquitted herself creditably.

WHERE THE PEACH LUXURIATES.

At Johnson, Only Nine Miles Away—Once They Flourished Hereabouts—Why No More?

The peach tree thrives as well in this section of country immediately about Johnson, but nine miles from this city, as it does anywhere in New Jersey or even Delaware. Hereabouts, however, the same fatality still follows this tree as for many years past; and yet old residents tell us that when they were young this section of the country was a veritable paradise for the peach. What has the soil lost to make this change? It would be worth a good deal of money to find this out.

THE ORANGE FESTIVAL.

An Enjoyable Affair—To Be Continued, To-night.

The Orange Festival, held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, of St. Paul's Church, opened at the church, last evening. There was a large attendance and the evening programme was most pleasantly enjoyed. The musical and literary entertainment occurred in the early part of the evening, after which refreshments were served. Stands were erected about the room at which useful and fancy articles, confectionery, etc, were disposed of.

A large number of the orange banks, in which were deposited sums of two dollars and over, were brought in, and, this evening, it is expected that all the banks will be collected when a grand time will be enjoyed breaking the oranges and counting the contents. Refreshments will also be served.

The Orange Lake and Walden Railway

The Orange Lake and Walden Electric Railway will be incorporated to-day or to-morrow. The articles were drawn up and signed, yesterday. The capital stock is $100,000. The incorporators are: Benjamin Norton, of Brooklyn; H. C. Norton, Col. Dickey, Major Weston and Harry Newkirk, of Newburgh. The line will be six and a half miles long, but will not be built until next spring.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Little Carl Jefferson was given a birthday surprise party, last evening, at the home of his father, Mr. Olef Jefferson, No. 5 Mills avenue. A large number of children was present and all had a first rate time.

A Baby Orchid.

In the window of Belding's flower store, on Franklin Square, is exhibited a baby orchid. In the center of each blossom is a perfect image of a small baby. It is a rare and curious plant.

Craig's $3 00 shoe, hand made, best value in Middletown. Guaranteed to outwear two pairs of store shoes at this price. 22 West Main street.

THE 24TH'S RIFLE PRACTICE.

To Shoot on the New Range, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 11th and 12th.

Capt. McIntyre, this morning, issued the following orders:

In accordance with special orders No. 436, H. Q., 3rd Brigade, this company will assemble for rifle practice as follows:

The first platoon will leave the Armory at 8 o'clock, Thursday morning, Oct. 11th.

The second platoon at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of the same day.

On Friday, Oct. 12th, practice will be for those who fail to qualify on Thursday, and for practice at 500 and 600 yards, if there be sufficient time. On Friday morning, company will leave Armory at 9 o'clock.

CHOICEST OF APPLES.

Middletowners Say Is the "Conkling Seedling,"—Who Brought It Into the World.

A favorite, if not the favorite, apple with connoisseurs of apples in Middletown is the "Conkling Seedling," which may be said to be to the manor born, as it originated with the late Nathaniel Conkling, for many years owner of the farm just south of the city, now known as "Locksley Hall," and owned by Mr. Horace W. Corey. It is a small apple, crimson and yellow, just tart enough to be tart, and so tender that babes, not yet toothed, might be permitted to eat it, and withall, it is the best of keepers.

MONTGOMERY.

Arrested for Beating His Wife—Paper Mill Shut Down—Prohibition Meeting—Improvements—Democratic Club Organized—Burglary.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Harry Stager, a papermaker, employed in the paper mill, was arrested about 7:30 o'clock, Sunday evening, for abusing his wife. It is the fourth time that that he has assaulted his wife and heavy punishment should be the penalty.

—The paper mill shut down, Saturday evening, owing to lack of orders.

—The Prohibitionists of this town will hold a temperance reform and prohibition meeting at the band stand on Tuesday evening. J. W. Bruce will conduct the meeting, in which will be discussed the issues of political reform, finance and labor as they are affected by the liquor traffic. Everybody come.

—The hickory nut crop in this section is a general failure, while the chestnut crop is short. The drouth is supposed to have been the cause.

—Chas. J. Kido, Jr., has secured the contract for painting the dwellings of the employes at Crabtree & Pachett's woolen mills.

—The Democratic voters of the first and second districts of this town met at the law office of John P. Sears, Saturday evening, and formed a Democratic club.

—Extensive improvements are under way in the Presbyterian Cemetery. Eighteen new plots have been laid out.

—Some one broke into James H. Harris's hardware and grocery store on Ward street, Saturday night. Nothing has been missed and the robbers are not known.

UNIONVILLE.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Miss J. Alice McCoy will open millinery parlors at her residence on North street, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 16th, 17th and 18th.

Port Jervis's Small-Pox Epidemic.

Another case of small-pox developed in Port Jervis, yesterday—in St. Mary's Home, where there were already two cases of the disease. There are no other new cases. The patients in the pest house are all doing well.

Real Estate Sales

—Gaidner & McWilliams, real estate and insurance agents, have sold for Isaac C. Humphrey, of Bainbridge, N. Y., his vacant lot on Albert street, near Wickham avenue, this city, to Madison C. Decker.

MELLIN'S FOOD FOR INFANTS AND INVALIDS.
THE ONLY PERFECT Substitute for Mother's Milk.

Dear Sirs:—We have been using Mellin's Food for our baby girl now about 8 months old ever since she was two weeks old, and are happy to say that it has agreed with her wonderfully. Yours truly, H. A. THOMSEN. N. Y. City.

Gentlemen:—I have used Mellin's Food with unbounded success. Mrs. C. S. SIMPSON. Yonkers, N.Y.

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Dr. Hand's Diarrhœa Mixture.

"My baby is subject to severe attacks of diarrhœa. During the last sickness Dr. Hand's Diarrhœa Mixture was freely given and an immediate cure resulted. It would have required a dozen visits of a physician as on former occasions. I believe Dr. Hand's Remedies would have saved the life of the child I lost, had they been within my reach at the time of its sickness."—Mrs. F. H. Bennett, 752 New St., Camden, N. J. 25c. Drug stores.

WOMEN MUST SLEEP.

SO SAYS MEDICAL AUTHORITY.

Serious Results of Sleeplessness, and the Way to Avoid It.

[SPECIAL TO OUR LADY READERS.]

If you are dangerously sick, what is the first duty of your physician? He quiets the frightened nervous system, he deadens the pain, and you sleep well.

Men fall by the wayside, victims of over-strained mental activity.

Friends ask, "What is it?" and the answer comes in pitying tones, nervous prostration.

Thousands of women tremble on the brink of the same precipice.

A little more pressure; some sudden grief, real or even imagined unkindness from loved ones, and over the brink fall one more victim of nervous prostration.

It came upon you so quietly, in the beginning, that you were not alarmed. But when sleep deserted you night after night, until your eyes fairly burned the darkness, then you tossed in nervous agony, praying for sleep.

You ought to have known when you ceased to be regular in your courses, and you grew so irritable without cause, that there was serious trouble somewhere.

You ought to be told that indigestion, exhaustion, womb displacements, fainting, dizziness, and backache send the nerves wild with affright, and you cannot sleep.

Want of sleep gives birth to a thousand morbid fancies of the brain.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for twenty years has saved women from all this misery. It is the certain cure for all derangements peculiar to women. It has saved them from torments for years, and it will save you. Go to your druggist at once: soon you will be well and sleep like a child.

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HAVE Sold during the summer months for Frank G Kain, Esq. 23 beautiful building lots, situate on Royce and Highland avenues, and Beacon street Buildings are being erected, and others planned. Will sell a few more lots at the same prices. SEE FERGUSON, Real Estate and Insurance Broker, Central Building

FOR SALE—"George," handsome five year-old Shetland pony, kind and gentle, good driver. Enquire at BELL HOUSE. 140tf

NO Strike on Blue Fish—Come to HARPO D'S Market We have a fine lot of fresh fish of all kinds for Sunday dinner.

BARGAIN—For sale, house and lot on East avenue. Lot 55x150 For further particulars enquire at No 54 East avenue 88tf

STORE for Rent, suitable for drug store, grocery or meat business. Enquire at 23tf Pindar House, Wickham avenue depot.

PINDAR House, corner Wickham and Low avenues Board at reasonable rates. Commercial $1.50 per day 1d

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Dead and Worn Out Horses and Cows, and carted away at short notice. Address us by postal or telegraph at our cost.

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Change of Weather Suggests Change of Wearing Apparel!

See our Underwear in single and double breasted shirts. See our 30c. shirt, equal any 50c. offered elsewhere. New line of Gloves and Mittens. Jersey Shirts—see our 34c. jersey shirt, worth 50 cents.

OVERCOATS AND SUITS.

Every garment sold is our own make. Buy of the manufacturer and save the middleman's profit—$5 on every $10. See our $4 50 Overcoats for men, the long and stylish cut coat.

Merchant Tailoring!

is booming. Why would it not? We guarantee a fit, give first-class trimmings at $6 or $8 less per suit than any other "reliable" tailor in the city. Suits to order from $16.50 up.

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We Have Now on Our Counters Over 1,000 Cloaks for Big and Little Folks

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The Handsome Store of L STERN.

The First National Bank.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent. per annum.

By order Board of Directors.
SEYMOUR DeWITT, Cashier.

BEST GRADES OF Flour, Grain Hay AND Mill Feeds.

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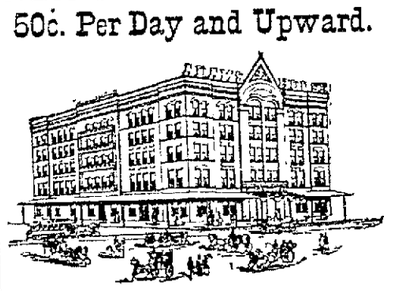

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You are cordially invited to attend our Millinery Opening on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 9th and 10th.

These are our "at home" days, and we want all the ladies of Middletown and vicinity to call on us on these days. You do not have to buy. All persons buying Millinery to the amount of 50c. or over, we give a beautiful souvenir on these two days only.

Be sure and call. You will enjoy yourself immensely. Respectfully

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